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Grants Assistance Information Newsletter

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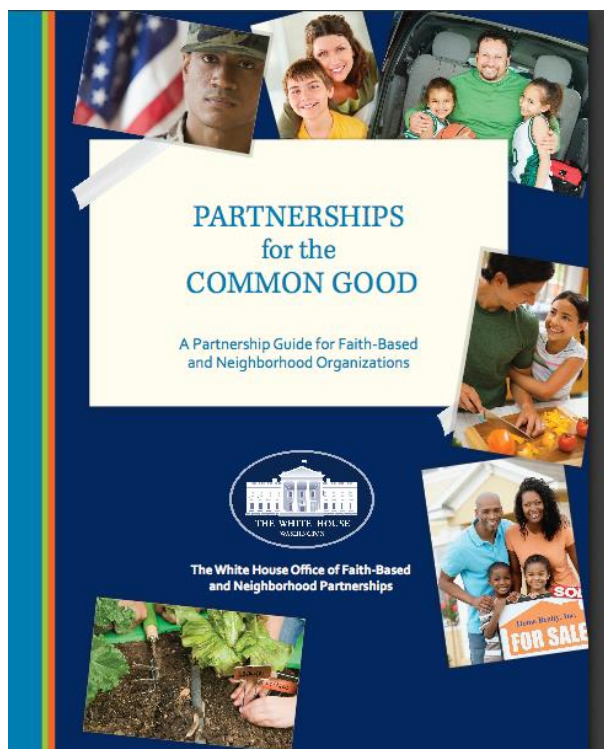
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**SEE PART 2 of this newsletter for Agencies from
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This Manual for faith-based organizations is an excellent guide to review and use.

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/faithbasedtoolkit.pdf>

What is Sequestration?

Sequestration, sometimes called the sequester, is a process that automatically cuts the federal budget across most departments and agencies.

Congress included the threat of sequestration in the [Budget Control Act of 2011](#) as a way to encourage compromise on deficit reduction efforts.

Congress couldn't agree on a budget by the deadline set in the Budget Control Act, so mandatory budget cuts were scheduled to go into effect on January 2, 2013.

Congress stopped the cuts from happening by passing the [American Taxpayer Relief Act](#) on January 2. This law pushed the budget cuts back until March 1, 2013.

Since Congress did not agree on a budget to reduce the deficit by March 1, sequestration has begun and \$85 billion in spending cuts are currently going into effect.

These reports give detailed information about the amount that programs may be cut and which programs are exempt from sequestration:

- [White House Office of Management and Budget Sequestration Reports to the President and Congress](#)
 - [Congressional Budget Office Report on Estimated Impact of Automatic Budget Enforcement Procedures Specified in the Budget Control Act](#)
 - [Congressional Research Service Report on Budget “Sequestration” and Selected Program Exemptions and Special Rules”](#) (PDF)
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Please review each department’s General Grant and Funding Overview. These overviews are the key web pages on each departmental website dedicated to the agency’s funding opportunities. Check back often to note the department updates and use these sources to assist you in your planning.

Federal Grant and Cooperative Agreement Program Summaries

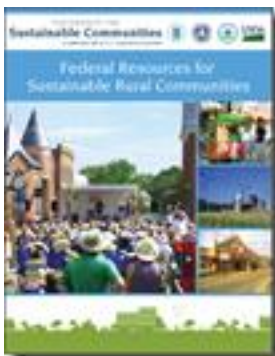
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Grants and Loans Overview

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USDA posts rural funding guide for local governments



The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) recently posted a useful guide outlining federal funding programs available to support rural communities.

[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life. It is a collaborative effort among USDA, the Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Department of Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency.

The guide has key information on funding and technical assistance opportunities available from the four agencies, as well as examples of how rural communities across the country have benefitted from federal resources. [The resource guide can be accessed here.](#)

The screenshot shows the top of the Sustainable Communities website. It features a blue navigation bar with tabs for Home, About Us, Map, Case Studies, Grants, Resources, and Get Involved. A Google Search bar is located on the right. Below the navigation bar, the main content area is divided into two columns. The left column has a green sidebar with a cityscape graphic. The right column contains a vertical list of key resource links. The main content area includes sections for 'Tools and Key Resources', 'Rural Communities', and 'Links to Partnership Agencies'.

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Tools and Key Resources

One of the goals of the Partnership for Sustainable Communities is to help communities develop and support neighborhoods that provide transportation choices and affordable housing while increasing economic competitiveness and directing resources toward places with existing infrastructure.

To help support these communities, the Partnership agencies compiled this list of useful tools and key resources. All of the resources here have been developed by or sponsored by Partnership agencies. Click on the categories in the sidebar on the right to access these materials.

Rural Communities

[Federal Resources for Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 44p 6MB) is a guide to programs from the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) that rural communities can use to promote economic competitiveness, protect healthy environments, and enhance quality of life.

[Supporting Sustainable Rural Communities](#) (PDF 52p 3MB)

Produced by the Partnership for Sustainable Communities and USDA, this report features case studies showcasing rural accomplishments, sample funding and technical assistance opportunities, and performance measures rural communities can use to assess their progress.

[Putting Smart Growth to Work in Rural Communities](#)

Focuses on smart growth strategies that can help guide growth in rural areas while protecting natural and working lands and preserving the rural character of existing communities.

[US Department of Agriculture Rural Development Program](#)

Provides resources, tools, and programs to assist communities with improving the economy and quality of life in rural America.

[US Department of Agriculture Atlas of Rural and Small Town America](#)

An interactive data tool to view statistics on people, jobs, and agriculture in your community.

Key Resources Links

- Partnership Publications
- Clean Air and Water
- Community Planning
- Economic Development & Brownfields Redevelopment
- Energy Efficiency
- Equity & Environmental Justice
- Housing Choices
- Performance Measures/Data
- Rural Communities
- Transportation Choices

Links to Partnership Agencies

- Department of Housing and Urban Development**
Office of Sustainable Housing and Communities
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Office of Transportation Policy
- Environmental Protection Agency**

<http://www.sustainablecommunities.gov/toolsKeyResources.html>



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USDA Programs and Services

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[Visit the Federal Trade Commission's Identify Theft Website](#)

This FTC website to help you deter, detect, and defend against identity theft. You can learn how to avoid theft, or learn what to do if your identity is stolen.

[Farm Loans](#)

FSA makes direct and guaranteed farm ownership and operating loans to family-size farmers and ranchers who cannot obtain commercial credit from a bank, Farm Credit System institution, or other lender. FSA loans can be used to purchase land, livestock, equipment, feed, seed, and supplies. Loans can also be used to construct buildings or make farm improvements.

[Housing Assistance](#)

USDA provides homeownership opportunities to low- and moderate-income rural Americans through several loan, grant, and loan guarantee programs. The programs also make funding available to individuals to finance vital improvements necessary to make their homes decent, safe, and sanitary. USDA Multi-Family Housing Programs offer Rural Rental Housing Loans to provide affordable multi-family rental housing for very low-, low-, and moderate-income families; the elderly; and persons with disabilities. In addition, rental assistance is available to eligible families.

[Rural Development Loan Assistance](#)

USDA Rural Development forges partnerships with rural communities, funding projects that bring housing, community facilities, business guarantees, utilities and other services to rural America. USDA provides technical assistance and financial backing for rural businesses and cooperatives to create quality jobs in rural areas. Rural Development promotes the President's National Energy Policy and ultimately the nation's energy security by engaging the entrepreneurial spirit of rural America in the development of renewable energy and energy efficiency improvements. Rural Development works with low-income individuals, State, local and Indian tribal governments, as well as private and nonprofit organizations and user-owned cooperatives.

Utility Services

USDA supports deployment of reliable and affordable water, waste treatment, electric power and telecommunications services, including broadband, to help rural areas expand economic opportunities and improve the quality of life for rural residents. Rural Development provides funding opportunities in the form of payments, grants, loans, and loan guarantees, for the development and commercialization of vital utility services. These programs revitalize rural communities with a variety of improvements, and create sustainable opportunities for wealth, new jobs, and increased economic activity in rural America.

Crop and Livestock Insurance

USDA helps producers manage their business risks. The mission of USDA's Risk Management Agency (RMA) is to promote, support, and regulate sound risk management solutions to preserve and strengthen the economic stability of America's agricultural producers. As part of this mission, RMA operates and manages the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC).

RMA has three divisions: Insurance Services, Product Management, and Risk Compliance. Seventeen private-sector insurance companies sell and service the policies. RMA develops and/or approves the premium rate, administers premium and expense subsidies, approves and supports products, and reinsures the companies. RMA also sponsors educational and outreach programs and seminars on the general topic of risk.

Federal State Marketing Improvement Program

This matching grant program, also known as FSMIP, provides matching funds to State Departments of Agriculture and other appropriate State agencies to assist in exploring new market opportunities for food and agricultural products, and to encourage research and innovation aimed at improving the efficiency and performance of the marketing system.

Specialty Crop Block Grant Program

The SCBGP funds can be requested to enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops. Specialty crops are defined as fruits and vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, and nursery crops (including floriculture).

The Farmers Market Promotion Program

The FMPP was created through a recent amendment of the Farmer-to-Consumer Direct Marketing Act of 1976. The grants, authorized by the FMPP, are targeted to help improve and expand domestic farmers markets, roadside stands, community-supported agriculture programs and other direct producer-to-consumer market opportunities.

Organic Cost Share Program

AMS administers two organic certification cost share programs. Each program provides cost share assistance, through participating States, to organic producers and/or organic handlers. Recipients must receive initial certification or continuation of certification from a USDA accredited certifying agent (ACA).

Last Date Modified: 12/31/2013

http://usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=GRANTS_LOANS

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004492
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture

Category Explanation:	Food and Nutrition
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 5, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 5, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 19, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014. A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 19, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014. A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application.
Archive Date:	Jul 19, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$9,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	This Challenge Area Focuses on the societal challenge to end obesity among children, the number one nutrition-related problem in the US. Food is an integral part of the process that leads to obesity and USDA has a unique responsibility for the food system in the United States. This program is designed to achieve the long-term outcome of reducing the prevalence of overweight and obesity among children and adolescents 2-19 years. The Childhood Obesity Prevention Program supports Multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants.
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research

[Initiative - Childhood Obesity Prevention](#)

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[If you have any questions related to preparing application content](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252219>

National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Women and Minorities in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Fields Program
(WAMS) Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-WAMS-004491

Funding Opportunity Title:

Women and Minorities in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Fields Program (WAMS)

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture
Business and Commerce
Community Development
Education
Employment, Labor and Training
Environment
Natural Resources
Regional Development
Science and Technology and other
Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

10.318 -- Women and Minorities in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Fields

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Mar 4, 2014

Creation Date:

Mar 4, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 28, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 28, 2014

Archive Date:	May 28, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$400,000
Award Ceiling:	\$300,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	As contained in Section 7204 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (FCEA) (Pub. L. 110-246 which amends Section 1672 of the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990 (7 U.S.C. 5925)), applications may only be submitted by eligible applicants and may be a collaborative state, tribal, local, or regionally-based network or partnership of public or private entities. Eligible applicants are: (a) State agricultural experiment stations; (b) colleges and universities; (c) university research foundations; (d) other research institutions and organizations; (e) Federal agencies; (f) national laboratories; (g) private organizations or corporations; (h) individuals; or (i) any group consisting of two or more of the entities described in subparagraphs (a) through (h). Priority will be given to eligible institutions that carry out continuing programs funded by the Secretary.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	This program supports research and extension projects that have robust collaborations to increase the participation of women and underrepresented minorities from rural areas in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics fields that are relevant to USDA priorities identified by the Secretary: (i) Promotion of a safe, sufficient, and nutritious food supply for all Americans and for people around the

world; (ii) Sustainable agricultural policies that foster economic viability for small and mid-sized farms and rural businesses, protect natural resources, and promote value-added agriculture; (iii) national leadership in climate change mitigation and adaptation; (iv) Building a modern workplace with a modern workforce; and (v) Support for 21st century rural communities.

Link to Additional Information:

[Women and Minorities in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Fields Program \(WAMS\)](#)

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**National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Specialty Crop Research Initiative Grant**

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-SCRI-004509

Funding Opportunity Title:

Specialty Crop Research Initiative

Opportunity Category:

Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Employment, Labor and Training

Environment

Food and Nutrition

Health

Natural Resources

Science and Technology and other

Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):	10.309 -- Specialty Crop Research Initiative
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 17, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 17, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 20, 2014 1. Letters of Intent for Research and Extension Planning Grant applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on April 11, 2014. See Section IV, A. for a description of the requirements for the contents of a letter of intent and submitting instructions. LETTERS OF INTENT ARE MANDATORY FOR RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PLANNING GRANT APPLICATIONS. 2. Complete, error-free Stakeholder Relevance Statements for all other grant types must be received in Grants.gov by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 11, 2014. See Section IV, C. for a description of the requirements for the contents of a stakeholder relevance statement. STAKEHOLDER RELEVANCE STATEMENTS ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL SPECIALTY CROP RESEARCH INITIATIVE GRANT APPLICATIONS EXCEPT FOR RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PLANNING GRANTS. 3. Invited full applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on June 20, 2014. See Section IV, D. for a description of the requirements for the contents of a full application.
Archive Date:	Jul 20, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$76,800,000
Award Ceiling:	\$10,000,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: USDA-NIFA-ICGP-004510

Funding Opportunity Title: Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative

Opportunity Category: Mandatory

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Agriculture
Employment, Labor and Training
Environment
Food and Nutrition
Health
Natural Resources
Science and Technology and other
Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 10.307 -- Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: Mar 17, 2014

Creation Date: Mar 17, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications: May 8, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications: May 8, 2014

Archive Date: Jun 7, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$20,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$2,000,000

Award Floor: \$50,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: The following entities are eligible to apply for and receive a grant under this program. 1.State agricultural experiment stations; 2.Colleges and universities; 3.University research foundations; 4.Other research institutions and organizations; 5.Federal agencies; 6.National laboratories; 7.Private organizations or corporations; 8.Individuals who are United States citizens or nationals; or 9.A group consisting of two or more of the entities described in subparagraphs (1) through (8).

Agency Name: National Institute of Food and

Description:**Agriculture**

The OREI seeks to solve critical organic agriculture issues, priorities, or problems through the integration of research, education, and extension activities. The purpose of this program is to fund projects that will enhance the ability of producers and processors who have already adopted organic standards to grow and market high quality organic agricultural products. Priority concerns include biological, physical, and social sciences, including economics. The OREI is particularly interested in projects that emphasize research, education and outreach that assist farmers and ranchers with whole farm planning by delivering practical research-based information. Projects should plan to deliver applied production information to producers. Fieldwork must be done on certified organic land or on land in transition to organic certification, as appropriate to project goals and objectives. Refer to the USDA National Organic Program (<http://www.ams.usda.gov/nop>) for organic production standards.

Link to Additional Information:

[Organic Agriculture Research and Extension Initiative](#)

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Forest Service

2015 National Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Program

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-FS-UCF-01-2015
Funding Opportunity Title:	2015 National Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Community Development Disaster Prevention and Relief Employment, Labor and Training Environment Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	50
CFDA Number(s):	10.675 -- Urban and Community Forestry Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 27, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 26, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 15, 2014
Archive Date:	Jun 14, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$900,000
Award Ceiling:	\$300,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Special district governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status

Agency Name:

Description:

with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
State governments
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
County governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
City or township governments
Independent school districts
Forest Service
2015 Forest Service National Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant Deadline: May 15, 2014
The Secretary of Agriculture has a congressionally designated advisory council that assists the U.S. Forest Service in establishing the grant categories and recommendations of final proposals for the Forest Service to consider.
This is the National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council (NUCFAC). The Council serves to advise the Secretary of Agriculture on the status of the nation's urban and community forests and related natural resources. The NUCFAC seeks to establish sustainable urban and community forests, by encouraging communities of all sizes to manage and protect their natural resources, which, if well managed, improves the public's health, well-being, economic vitality, and creates resilient ecosystems for present and future generations. The Council recommends urban and community forestry projects that have national or multi-state application and impact through the U.S. Forest Service's competitive Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant

Program. This year, the National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council (NUCFAC) has identified three national grant categories: 1. Incorporating Urban Forests as Green Infrastructure into Urban Planning Practices that will result in improvements for ecologically underserved communities and regions. 2. Green Infrastructure Jobs Analysis 3. Utilizing Green Infrastructure to Manage and Mitigate Stormwater to Improve Water Quality An applicant may apply to more than one category; however they are to use a separate application for each category. The purpose of these grants is to address national issues. This RFP is not for local or State-wide projects. Click on link <http://www.fs.fed.us/ucf/nucfac.shtml> for full information on the 2015 Urban and Community Forestry Challenge Cost Share Grant. Search [CFDA number: 10.675], or [Grant Opportunity No.: USDA-FS-UCF-01–2015]. The grant applications are to be submitted through www.grants.gov. Contact Nancy Stremple, Natural Resource Specialist, Executive Staff, National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council, (NUCFAC) nstremple@fs.fed.us or your Forest Service Regional Urban Forestry Program Manager, if you are interested in applying and have any questions. The Forest Service Regional Urban forestry Coordinators are located at http://www.fs.fed.us/ucf/contact_regional.html. For Region 2 Mountain the new contact is: Dana Coelho, dcoelho@fs.fed.us , Region 6 Pacific North West /Region 10 Alaska is: Kathy Sheehan, ksheehan@fs.fed.us,

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Link to Additional Information: [National Urban and Community Forestry Advisory Council Website](http://www.nurc.fs.fed.us/)
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National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Water for Agriculture Challenge Area Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004468
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Water for Agriculture Challenge Area
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 24, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 24, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 13, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014 (see Part IV A.). A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application. Please note that a LOI is not a required prerequisite for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on August 13, 2014.

Current Closing Date for Applications:	Aug 13, 2014 A Letter of Intent (LOI) must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on April 17, 2014 (see Part IV A.). A LOI is a prerequisite to submission of an application. Please note that a LOI is not a required prerequisite for conference grants. Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on August 13, 2014.
Archive Date:	Sep 12, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	NIFA initiates a new challenge area to address critical water resources issues such as drought, excess soil moisture, flooding, quality and others in an agricultural context. Funding will be used to develop management practices, technologies, and tools for farmers, ranchers, forest owners and managers, public decision makers, public and private managers, and citizens to improve water resource quantity and quality. NIFA's approach will link social, economic, and behavioral sciences with traditional biophysical sciences and engineering to address regional-scale issues with shared hydrological processes and meteorological and basin characteristics.
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Water for Agriculture Challenge Area
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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Business and Cooperative Programs
National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Higher Education Challenge Grants Program

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-CGP-004425
Funding Opportunity Title:	Higher Education Challenge Grants Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Education

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 10.217 -- Higher Education - Institution Challenge Grants Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: Jan 24, 2014

Creation Date: Jan 24, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications: Apr 10, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications: Apr 10, 2014

Archive Date: May 10, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$4,770,000

Award Ceiling: \$750,000

Award Floor: \$30,000

Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: Applications may be submitted by: (a) U.S. public or private nonprofit colleges and universities offering a baccalaureate or first professional degree in at least one discipline or area of the food and agricultural sciences; (b) land-grant colleges and universities, (including land grant institutions in the Insular Areas); (c) colleges and universities having significant minority enrollments and a demonstrable capacity to carry out the teaching of food and agricultural sciences; and (d) other colleges and

Agency Name:**Description:**

universities having a demonstrable capacity to carry out the teaching of food and agricultural sciences. National Institute of Food and Agriculture Projects supported by the Higher Education Challenge Grants Program will: (1) address a State, regional, national, or international educational need; (2) involve a creative or non-traditional approach toward addressing that need that can serve as a model to others; (3) encourage and facilitate better working relationships in the university science and education community, as well as between universities and the private sector, to enhance program quality and supplement available resources; and (4) result in benefits that will likely transcend the project duration and USDA support.

Link to Additional Information:**Contact Information:**

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004417

Funding Opportunity Title:

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Food and Nutrition

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Jan 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Jan 17, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 12, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Food Security Challenge Area require a Letter of Intent for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.

Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jun 12, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Food Security Challenge Area require a Letter of Intent for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.
Archive Date:	Jul 12, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$6,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type requested in Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	In FY 2014, only proposals that focus on reducing crop and livestock losses in U.S. agricultural systems will be considered for funding. Proposed projects should develop and extend sustainable, integrated management strategies that reduce pre and post-harvest losses caused by diseases, insects, and weeds in crop and animal production systems, while maintaining or improving product quality and production efficiency. Proposals should aim to develop approaches for managing losses throughout the whole food system (production, harvesting, storage, processing, distribution, and consumption), and should address the social, economic, and behavioral aspects of food security. Project types supported by AFRI within this Challenge Area will propose multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects, Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants, and conferences and/or workshops.
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Security Challenge Area
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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004434
Funding Opportunity Title:	Agriculture Food and Research Initiative: Food Safety Challenge Area
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Food and Nutrition
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 29, 2014
Creation Date:	Jan 29, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 8, 2014 Letters of Intent (LOI) are required by this program and must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on February 26, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 8, 2014 Letters of Intent (LOI) are required by this program and must be received by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on February 26, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jun 7, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$11,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$5,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	This AFRI Challenge Area promotes and enhances the scientific discipline of food safety, with an overall aim of protecting consumers from microbial and chemical contaminants that may occur during all stages of the food chain, from production to consumption. This requires an understanding of the interdependencies of human, animal, and ecosystem health as it pertains to foodborne pathogens. The long-term outcome for this program is to reduce foodborne illnesses and deaths by improving the safety of the food supply, which will result in reduced impacts on public health and on our economy. In order to achieve this outcome, this program will support single-function Research Projects and multi-function Integrated Research, Education, and/or Extension Projects, and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants that address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Food Safety RFA for details).
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture Food and Research Initiative: Food Safety

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National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

USDA-NIFA-AFRI-004412

Funding Opportunity Title:

Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Agriculture

Community Development

Energy

Environment

Food and Nutrition

Natural Resources

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:****CFDA Number(s):**

10.310 -- Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI)

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Yes

Posted Date:

Dec 23, 2013

Creation Date:

Dec 23, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 29, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Foundational Program Area require a Letter of Intent and is a prerequisite for submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 29, 2014 All Program Areas within the AFRI Foundational Program Area require a Letter of Intent and is a prerequisite for

	submission of an application. Refer to the Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C for Letter of Intent deadlines for a specific Program Area.
Archive Date:	Oct 29, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$82,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligibility is linked to the project type requested in Program Area Descriptions beginning in Part I, C. All project types are described beginning in Part II, C.
Agency Name:	National Institute of Food and Agriculture
Description:	The AFRI Foundational Program is offered to support research grants in the six AFRI priority areas to continue building a foundation of knowledge critical for solving current and future societal challenges. The six priority areas are: Plant Health and Production and Plant Products; Animal Health and Production and Animal Products; Food Safety, Nutrition, and Health; Renewable Energy, Natural Resources, and Environment; Agriculture Systems and Technology; and Agriculture Economics and Rural Communities. Single-function Research Projects, multi-function Integrated Projects and Food and Agricultural Science Enhancement (FASE) Grants are expected to address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Foundational Program RFA for details).
Link to Additional Information:	Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program
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Programs:

National Institute of Standards and Technology
Professional Research Experience Program (PREP-Boulder) Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NOAA-NFA-NFAPO-2014-2003949

Funding Opportunity Title:

FY 2014 - 2015 Broad Agency

Opportunity Category:	Announcement (BAA)
Funding Instrument Type:	Other Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.469 -- Congressionally Identified Awards and Projects
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible applicants may be institutions of higher education, nonprofits, commercial organizations, international or foreign organizations or governments, individuals, state, local and Indian Tribal governments. Eligibility also depends on the statutory authority that permits NOAA to fund the proposed activity. Refer to the CFDA in order to determine an applicant's eligibility. If the applicant is a university that has a NOAA Joint or Cooperative Institute (CI), the institution is encouraged to submit an application that will be associated with the CI. The application must specify the name of the CI, its most recent award number, and the NOAA-approved research theme applicable to the work to be performed in the project narrative. The application will use the facilities and administrative rate (F&A or Indirect Cost Rate) associated with most recent CI award.
Agency Name:	Department of Commerce
Description:	The purpose of this notice is to request applications for special projects and programs associated with NOAA's strategic plan and mission goals, as well as to provide the general public with information and

guidelines on how NOAA will select proposals and administer discretionary Federal assistance under this Broad Agency Announcement (BAA). This BAA is a mechanism to encourage research, education and outreach, innovative projects, or sponsorships that are not addressed through our competitive discretionary programs. It is not a mechanism for awarding congressionally directed funds or existing funded awards. Funding for potential projects in this notice is contingent upon the availability of Fiscal Year 2014 and Fiscal Year 2015 appropriations. Applicants are hereby given notice that funds have not yet been appropriated for any potential activities in this notice. Publication of this announcement does not oblige NOAA to review an application, or to award any specific project, or to obligate any available funds.

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FY 2014 - 2015 Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)
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Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

NOAA-NFA-NFAPO-2014-2003949

Funding Opportunity Title:

FY 2014 - 2015 Broad Agency
Announcement (BAA)

Opportunity Category:

Other

Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.469 -- Congressionally Identified Awards and Projects
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Dec 9, 2013
Creation Date:	Mar 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015
Archive Date:	Oct 30, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible applicants may be institutions of higher education, nonprofits, commercial organizations, international or foreign organizations or governments, individuals, state, local and Indian Tribal governments. Eligibility also depends on the statutory authority that permits NOAA to fund the proposed activity. Refer to the CFDA in order to determine an applicant's eligibility. If the applicant is a university that has a NOAA Joint or Cooperative Institute (CI), the institution is encouraged to submit an application that will be associated with the CI. The application must specify the name of the CI, its most recent award number, and the NOAA-approved research theme applicable to the work to be performed in the project narrative. The application will use the facilities and administrative rate (F&A or Indirect Cost Rate) associated with most recent CI award.
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National Institute of Standards and Technology
FY 2014 Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program
And Modification 1

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

2014-NIST-SBIR-01

Funding Opportunity Title:

FY 2014 SMALL BUSINESS

Opportunity Category:	INNOVATION RESEARCH (SBIR) PROGRAM
Funding Instrument Type:	Discretionary
Category of Funding Activity:	Cooperative Agreement
	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.620 -- Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 19, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 21, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, May 2, 2014. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, May 2, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Electronic applications must be received no later than 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, May 2, 2014. Paper applications must be received by NIST by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Friday, May 2, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jun 3, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Potential applicants should carefully read the Full Announcement/FFO document for details on eligibility for the FY 2014 SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION RESEARCH (SBIR) PROGRAM. Each applicant for both Phase I and Phase II must qualify as a small business concern for research or R&D (R/R&D) purposes, as defined in Section 1.06 of this FFO, at the time of award. In addition, the primary employment of the principal investigator must be with the small business at the time of the award and during the conduct of the proposed research. Primary employment

means that more than one-half of the principal investigator's time is spent with the small business. Primary employment with a small business precludes full-time employment with another organization. Occasionally, deviations from this requirement may occur, and must be approved in writing by the NIST Grants Officer after consultation with the SBIR Program Manager. Further, a small business may replace the principal investigator on an SBIR Phase I or Phase II award, subject to approval in writing by the NIST Grants Officer. Personnel obtained through a Professional Employer Organization or other similar personnel leasing company may be considered employees of the awardee.

Agency Name:

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Description:

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) invites small businesses to submit Phase I research applications under this Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO). Firms with strong research capabilities in any of the areas listed in Section 9 of the Full Announcement/FFO document are encouraged to participate. Applications not addressing one of the Subtopics in Section 9 are not responsive to this FFO. NIST offers two types of Subtopics in Section 9 of this FFO: standard research "R" and tech transfer "TT" Subtopics. Both "R" and "TT" subtopics are intended to cultivate private sector innovation and foster and encourage participation by minority and disadvantaged persons in technological innovation.

Link to Additional Information:

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2014 BREP Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-NMFS-FHQ-2014-2004007
Funding Opportunity Title:	2014 BREP
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	11.472 -- Unallied Science Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2014
Archive Date:	May 30, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$250,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Eligible applicants are individuals (U.S. citizens), institutions of higher education, other nonprofits, commercial organizations, foreign governments, organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments, international organizations, and state, local and Indian tribal governments. Federal agencies or instrumentalities are not eligible to receive Federal assistance under this notice. The Department of Commerce/ National Oceanic and Atmospheric

Agency Name:**Description:**

Administration (DOC/NOAA) is strongly committed to broadening the participation of historically black colleges and universities, Hispanic serving institutions, tribal colleges and universities, and institutions that work in underserved areas.

Department of Commerce

The mission of the National Bycatch Reduction Engineering Program (BREP) is to develop technological solutions and investigate changes in fishing practices designed to minimize bycatch of fish (including sponges, deep-sea corals, and shallow (tropical) corals) and protected species (including marine mammals, sturgeon, seabirds, and sea turtles) as well as minimize bycatch injury and mortality (including post-release injury and mortality). For FY2014, NMFS anticipates that approximately \$2,500,000 could be made available for projects that address by-catch research as identified in the Program Priority Section (I.B.1 - I.B.3).

Link to Additional Information:**Contact Information:**

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251806>

National Institute of Standards and Technology
Measurement Science and Engineering (MSE) Research Grant Programs

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

2014-NIST-MSE-01

Funding Opportunity Title:

Measurement Science and
Engineering (MSE) Research Grant
Programs

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Category Explanation:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development; Measurement and Engineering Research and Standards; Arrangements for Interdisciplinary Research Infrastructure; Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.609 -- Measurement and Engineering Research and Standards 11.619 -- Arrangements for Interdisciplinary Research Infrastructure 11.620 -- Science, Technology, Business and/or Education Outreach
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	All NIST MSE Research Grant Programs except the FR Grant Program - Applications will be considered on a continuing/rolling basis. Applications received after 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on June 2, 2014 may be processed and considered for funding under this FFO in the current fiscal year or in the next fiscal year, subject to the availability of funds. Except for applications submitted to the FR Grant Program, all applications submitted to the MSE Research Grants programs, paper and electronic, must be received prior to the posting of the FY 2015 NIST MSE Research Grants Programs FFO on Grants.gov in order to be processed under this FFO. The FR Grant Program - The deadline for paper applications to the FR Grant Program is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time,

	<p>Monday, March 31, 2014. The deadline for electronic applications to the FR Grant Program is 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday, March 31, 2014. Applications to the FR Grant Program received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.</p>
Current Closing Date for Applications:	<p>All NIST MSE Research Grant Programs except the FR Grant Program - Applications will be considered on a continuing/rolling basis. Applications received after 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on June 2, 2014 may be processed and considered for funding under this FFO in the current fiscal year or in the next fiscal year, subject to the availability of funds. Except for applications submitted to the FR Grant Program, all applications submitted to the MSE Research Grants programs, paper and electronic, must be received prior to the posting of the FY 2015 NIST MSE Research Grants Programs FFO on Grants.gov in order to be processed under this FFO. The FR Grant Program - The deadline for paper applications to the FR Grant Program is 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday, March 31, 2014. The deadline for electronic applications to the FR Grant Program is 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday, March 31, 2014. Applications to the FR Grant Program received after the respective deadline will not be reviewed or considered.</p>
Archive Date:	Mar 31, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Institutions of higher education; hospitals; non-profit organizations; commercial organizations; state, local, and Indian tribal governments;

foreign governments; organizations under the jurisdiction of foreign governments; and international organizations. Applicants selected for awards under 15 U.S.C. § 278g-1 are encouraged, but not required, to select underrepresented minorities for participation.

Agency Name:

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Description:

NIST is soliciting applications for financial assistance for Fiscal Year 2014 (FY14) under the following programs: (1) the Material Measurement Laboratory (MML); (2) the Physical Measurement Laboratory (PML); (3) the Engineering Laboratory (EL); (4) Fire Research (FR); (5) the Information Technology Laboratory (ITL); (6) the NIST Center for Neutron Research (NCNR); (7) the Center for Nanoscale Science and Technology (CNST); (8) the Office of Special Programs (OSP), and (9) the Associate Director for Laboratory Programs (ADLP). Specifics of these programs are detailed in the Full Announcement/FFO document. This funding opportunity will result in the award of grants or cooperative agreements. A grant or cooperative agreement is not the correct funding vehicle if the principal purpose is to provide products or services for the direct benefit or use of the federal government.

Link to Additional Information:

[2014-NIST-MSE-01 Full Announcement/FFO document](#)

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Economic Development Administration
FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
And Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAP2014
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2014 Economic Development Assistance Programs
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development
Category Explanation:	The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Posted Date:

Creation Date:

Original Closing Date for Applications:

economic conditions.

11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and
Economic Development Facilities

11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance

Yes

Nov 25, 2013

Nov 26, 2013

The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped by Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m.

Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are: December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2014; March 14, 2014 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2014; June 13, 2014 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2014; and October 17, 2015 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement

Current Closing Date for Applications:

The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2014 and the first funding cycle of FY 2015 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2014 is covered under EDA's FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 26, 2012. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be

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Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
City or township governments
Private institutions of higher education
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
State governments
County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a(n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher

education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to for-profit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located.

Agency Name:

Economic Development Administration

Description:

The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

Link to Additional Information:

[EDA Website](#)

Contact Information:

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announcement electronically, please contact your state representative. Please direct any questions to the EDA representative for your state. A complete list of EDA representatives is available on EDA's website at <http://eda.gov/contacts.htm>

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=248297>

**Economic Development Administration
Planning Program and Local Technical Assistance Program Grant**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAPLANNING2012
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Creation Date:	Aug 03, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Applications are accepted on a continuing basis and processed as received. This Planning and Local Technical Assistance opportunity will remain in effect until superseded by a future announcement.
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification) Regional Development
Category Explanation:	Regional planning and local technical assistance
Expected Number of Awards:	425
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	11.302 -- Economic Development Support for Planning Organizations 11.303 -- Economic Development Technical Assistance
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

Eligible Applicants

State governments
County governments
City or township governments
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to section 3 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. § 3122) (PWEDA) and EDA's regulation at 13 C.F.R. § 300.3, the following types of entities are eligible to receive funding assistance from EDA: 1. District Organizations (as defined in 13 C.F.R. § 300.3); 2. Indian Tribes or a consortium of Indian Tribes; 3. States, cities, or other political subdivisions of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; 4. Institutions of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or 5. Public or private non-profit organizations or associations acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State.

Agency Name

Economic Development Administration

Description

Pursuant to PWEDA, EDA announces general policies and application procedures for grant-based investments under the Planning and Local Technical Assistance programs. Under the Planning program EDA assists eligible recipients in creating regional economic development plans designed to stimulate and guide the economic development efforts of a community or region. As part of this program, EDA supports Partnership Planning investments to facilitate the development, implementation, revision, or replacement of Comprehensive Economic Development Strategies (CEDS), which articulate and prioritize the strategic economic goals of recipients' respective regions. In general, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to the designated planning organization (e.g., District Organization) serving EDA-designated Economic Development Districts to enable these organizations to develop and implement relevant CEDS. In addition, EDA provides Partnership Planning grants to Indian Tribes to help develop and implement CEDS and associated economic development activities. The Planning program also helps support planning organizations, including District Organizations, Indian Tribes, and other eligible Recipients, with Short Term and State Planning investments designed to guide the eventual creation and retention of higher-skill, higher-wage jobs, particularly for the unemployed and underemployed in the Nation's most economically distressed regions. The Local Technical

Assistance program strengthens the capacity of local or State organizations, institutions of higher education, and other eligible recipients to undertake and promote effective economic development programs through projects such as feasibility analyses and impact studies.

Link to Additional Information

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=189193>

Economic Development Administration
FY 2013 Economic Development Assistance Programs Grant

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EDAP2013
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Nov 26, 2012
Creation Date:	Nov 27, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications.

The next four funding cycle deadlines are:
December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.

Current Closing Date for Applications: The deadlines for the remaining funding cycles of FY 2013 and the first funding cycle of FY 2014 are listed below. The first funding cycle of FY 2013 is covered under EDA's FY 2012 Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) FFO dated November 18, 2011. EDA strongly encourages electronic submissions of applications through www.grants.gov (Grants.gov). To be considered during a particular funding cycle, completed applications must be validated and time-stamped at Grants.gov by 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time on the applicable funding cycle deadline. Alternatively, paper applications may be delivered to the applicable regional office listed in section VIII. of this FFO. Paper applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. local time in the applicable regional office on the funding cycle deadline and the applicant must use a delivery confirmation service from their selected carrier. If your application is received after the deadline, it will be considered late and will not be reviewed by EDA for that funding cycle. EDA will not accept facsimile or email transmissions of applications. The next four funding cycle deadlines are:
December 13, 2012 for funding cycle 2 of FY 2013; March 13, 2013 for funding cycle 3 of FY 2013; June 13, 2013 for funding cycle 4 of FY 2013 ; and September 13, 2013 for funding cycle 1 of FY 2014. Please see section IV.C. of this FFO for more information on application deadlines under this announcement.

Archive Date:

Mar 31, 2014

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)
Regional Development

Category Explanation:

The Economic Development Administration's (EDA's) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for economic growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA fulfills this mission through strategic investments and partnerships that create the regional economic ecosystems required to foster globally competitive regions throughout the United States. EDA supports development in economically distressed areas of the United States by fostering job creation and attracting private investment. Specifically, under the Economic Development Assistance programs (EDAP) Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO) announcement, EDA will make construction, non-construction, and revolving loan fund investments under the Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs. Grants made under these programs will leverage regional assets to support the implementation of regional economic development strategies designed to create jobs, leverage private capital, encourage economic development, and strengthen America's ability to compete in the global marketplace. Through the EDAP FFO, EDA solicits applications from rural and urban communities to develop initiatives that advance new ideas and creative approaches to address rapidly evolving economic conditions.

Expected Number of Awards:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:

CFDA Number(s): 11.300 -- Investments for Public Works and
Economic Development Facilities
11.307 -- Economic Adjustment Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Eligible Applicants

State governments

County governments

City or township governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Pursuant to EDA's authorizing statute, the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (PWEDA), eligible applicants for and eligible recipients of EDA investment assistance include a (n): (i) District Organization; (ii) Indian Tribe or a consortium of Indian Tribes; (iii) State, city, or other political subdivision of a State, including a special purpose unit of a State or local government engaged in economic or infrastructure development activities, or a consortium of political subdivisions; (iv) institution of higher education or a consortium of institutions of higher education; or (v) public or private non-profit organization or association acting in cooperation with officials of a political subdivision of a State. See section 3 of PWEDA (42 U.S.C. § 3122) and 13 C.F.R. § 300.3. EDA is not authorized to provide grants directly to individuals or to for-profit entities seeking to start or expand a private business. Such requests may be referred to State or local agencies, or to non-profit economic development organizations serving the region in which the project will be located.

Agency Name

Economic Development Administration

Description

EDA provides strategic investments that foster job creation and attract private investment to support development in economically distressed areas of the United States. Under this FFO, EDA solicits applications from both rural and urban areas to provide investments that support construction, non-construction, technical assistance, and revolving loan fund projects under EDA's Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance programs. Grants made under these programs are designed to leverage existing regional assets to support the implementation of economic development strategies that advance new ideas and creative approaches to advance economic prosperity in distressed communities.

Link to Additional Information

[EDA's website](#)

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Synopsis Modification History

The following files represent the modifications to this synopsis with the changes noted within the documents. The list of files is arranged from newest to oldest with the newest file representing the current synopsis. Changed sections from the previous document are shown in a light grey background.

File Name	Date
Original Synopsis	Nov 26, 2012

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=208353>

NOAA Sea Grant Aquaculture Research Program 2014 Grant
And Modification 2

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-OAR-SG-2014-2003987
Funding Opportunity Title:	NOAA Sea Grant Aquaculture Research Program 2014
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	10
CFDA Number(s):	11.417 -- Sea Grant Support
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Jan 27, 2014
Creation Date:	Jan 28, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 30, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2014
Archive Date:	Jun 4, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$250,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, commercial organizations, State, local and Indian tribal governments and individuals are eligible. Federal agencies and their personnel are not permitted to receive federal funding under this competition; however, federal scientists can serve as uncompensated partners or co-Principal Investigators on proposals. Directors of the state Sea Grant Programs are not eligible to compete for funds under this announcement, although for administrative purposes, they will be considered to be the Principal Investigator for all

Agency Name:**Description:**

awards made to their state programs.

Department of Commerce

Depending on the availability of funds, NOAA Sea Grant expects to have up to \$3,000,000 available for a national competition to fund new FY 2014 marine aquaculture research projects. This is part of the overall plan to support the development of environmentally and economically sustainable ocean, coastal, or Great Lakes aquaculture. Topical priorities for this FY 2014 competition are, briefly: 1) Research to inform pending, regulatory decisions on the local, state, or federal level leading to an information product-- such as a tool, technology, template, or model-- needed to make final decisions on a specific question regarding impacts of aquaculture; 2) Public-private research partnerships that address specific, current problems that limit a steady supply of marine or Great Lakes fingerlings; and 3) Social and/or economic research targeted to understand aquaculture issues in a larger context. Applicants must describe how their proposed work will rapidly and significantly advance U.S. marine aquaculture development in the short-term (1-2 years after project completion). This Federal Funding Opportunity includes information on application and criteria for aquaculture research proposals requesting a maximum of \$500,000 in total federal funding for up to a two-year period. Matching funds are required. Awards are anticipated to start no later than September 1, 2014. Additional proposals from this competition may be selected for funding in the next fiscal year, subject to the availability of funds.

Link to Additional Information:**Contact Information:**

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Dr. Gene W. Kim

[For General Questions](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250477>

Modifications:



Corporation for National and Community Service

General Program Overview

AmeriCorps provides resources, both human and financial, to organizations that engage Americans in intensive service to meet our country's critical needs.

Grantees use the funding to support AmeriCorps members for intensive service in their community. AmeriCorps grants partially cover the expense of operating an AmeriCorps program and do not cover general organizational expenses. A cash and in-kind match is required.

The main website can be accessed here: <http://www.nationalservice.gov>

For access to further funding information: [click here](#)

National Service in Massachusetts

Meeting Community Needs in Massachusetts: More than **10,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Massachusetts. Serving at more than **1,200** locations throughout the state, these citizens tutor and mentor children, support veterans and military families, provide health services, restore the environment, respond to disasters, increase economic opportunity, and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) will commit more than **\$41,180,000** to support Massachusetts communities through national service initiatives. Through a unique public-private partnership, this federal investment will leverage an additional **\$31,160,000** in other resources to strengthen community impact, build local support, and increase return on taxpayer dollars.

AmeriCorps

This year, AmeriCorps will provide more than **3,300** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Massachusetts. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the **Massachusetts Service Alliance**, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals serve through AmeriCorps VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses, and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **27,000** Massachusetts residents have served more than **37 million** hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$85,580,000**.

[Download: AmeriCorps in Massachusetts \(PDF\)](#)

Senior Corps

More than **7,000** seniors in Massachusetts contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **6,600** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **950** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **480** groups across Massachusetts.

[Download: Senior Corps in Massachusetts \(PDF\)](#)

Social Innovation Fund

The Social Innovation Fund transforms lives and communities using limited federal investment as a catalyst to grow the impact of nonprofits with evidence of strong results. It harnesses the expertise of grantmaking intermediaries to identify, evaluate and expand effective nonprofits and engages funding partners to contribute nearly three dollars to every one federal dollar invested. As the Social Innovation Fund network grows programs that work in Massachusetts, more people are able to overcome their most pressing challenges in the areas of economic opportunity, health, and youth development. The Social Innovation Fund is investing **\$4,550,000** in expanding the impact of **7** nonprofits in Massachusetts, selected and supported by **3** intermediaries.

[Download: Social Innovation Fund in Massachusetts \(PDF\)](#)

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS annually engages more than five million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and national days of service; improves communities through the Social Innovation Fund, and leads President Obama's national call to service initiative, United We Serve. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

Reminders:

Social Innovation Fund Grant Competition
Modification 1

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	CNCS-COOP-02242014
Funding Opportunity Title:	Social Innovation Fund Grant Competition
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Employment, Labor and Training Food and Nutrition Health Housing Law, Justice and Legal Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	94.019 -- Social Innovation Fund
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 24, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 24, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 22, 2014 Applications are due April 22, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 22, 2014 Applications are due April 22, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time.
Archive Date:	Apr 23, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	\$10,000,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Agency Name:	Corporation for National and Community Service
Description:	The Social Innovation awards grants to grantmaking institutions, referred to as "intermediaries." These intermediaries in turn competitively select, provide grants to, and otherwise support high-performing community-based nonprofit organizations to implement evidence- based programs in the areas of healthy futures, economic opportunity and youth development. The intermediaries and the nonprofits must match the grant funds they receive one-to-one in cash from with

Link to Additional Information:

non-federal sources.

[Webpage with all the information about the competition.](#)

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[Direct email address for the competition.](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251768>



U.S. Department of Defense

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Doing Business with the DoD

Getting Started

This is the "how-to" section of working with the Department of Defense. Information includes guides on marketing to the DoD, government contracting basics and subcontracting fundamentals.

- [Guide to Marketing to the DoD](#)
- [Government Contracting: The Basics](#) [PDF]
- [DoD Subcontracting Program: The Basics](#) [PDF]
- [Marketing to the Department of Defense: The Basics](#) [PDF]
- [OSBP Guidebook to Facilitating Teaming Arrangements](#) [PDF]

Resources

[Procurement Technical Assistance Centers \(PTACs\)](#)

Procurement Technical Assistance Centers (PTACs), are charged with assisting businesses in learning how to do business with federal, state, and local governments. PTACs are a local resource available at no or nominal cost that can provide assistance to business firms in marketing their products and services. They offer training to businesses on how to research and bid on contracts, assist with registration requirements, provide bid-matching services, and assist with pre and post contracting issues.

http://www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing_business/index.htm

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- **DOD Contract Award Announcements**
- **Defense Acquisition University**
- **Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation (DFAR)**
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- **Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)**

[FAR Documents, Information and Links](#)

A list of [quarterly video magazines](#) that provides a discussion of recent changes to the FAR and DFARS, insights into the regulatory process, and news/issues on the horizon. DPAP and DAU have embarked on this joint venture to provide contracting personnel with the latest news regarding actions effecting the FAR and DFARS.

- **Navy Contract Opportunities**
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 - [Business Opportunities](#)
- **OSBP Programs**
 - Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program
 - Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) Program
 - Indian Incentive Program
 - Women-Owned Small Business Program
 - Historically Black Colleges and Universities / Minority Institutions
 - Technical Assistance Program
 - Comprehensive Subcontracting Test Program
 - DOD Regional Councils for Small Business Education and Advocacy
 - Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Program
 - Historically Underutilized Business Zones Program (HUBZone)
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http://www.defense.gov/landing/contract_resources.aspx

DoD Small Business Opportunities

The purpose of this section is to identify areas of potential small business growth that are new, developing, or have recently come to the attention of this office. The intent is not to duplicate information which exists through traditional acquisition tools.

DoD Service Forecasts

Future acquisition forecasts are prepared by a number of organizations within DoD. Forecasting methodologies vary by service but constitute the 'best estimate' of each.

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Air Force

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Research:

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Breast Cancer Breakthrough Award Levels 1 and 2 Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253179>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Breast Cancer Breakthrough Award Levels 3 and 4 Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253180>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Breast Cancer Innovator Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253181>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Breast Cancer Era of Hope Scholar Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253182>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Bone Marrow Failure Idea Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253173>

Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA
DoD Bone Marrow Failure Idea Development Award Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253174>

Modifications:

Air Force Office of Scientific Research
Research Interests of the Air Force Office of Scientific Research
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252028>

Defense Threat Reduction Agency
Fundamental Research to Counter Weapons of Mass Destruction
Modification 18
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=49658>

Office of Naval Research
FY 15 Communications and Networking Discovery and Invention
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251625>

Office of Naval Research
Naval Supply Systems Command
FY13 - FY14 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for non-PEPFAR (President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief) Funded Countries
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Naval Supply Systems Command
FY13 - FY14 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for PEPFAR (President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief) Funded Countries
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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=207153>

Office of Naval Research
Naval Supply Systems Command
FY13 - FY14 Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program: Military Specific HIV/AIDS Prevention, Care, and Treatment Program for PEPFAR (President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief) Funded Countries

Modification 16

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Reminders:

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Modification 3

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	W911NF-12-R-0011
Funding Opportunity Title:	Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	1000
CFDA Number(s):	12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	May 31, 2012
Creation Date:	Sep 5, 2013
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date:	Apr 30, 2017
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Description:

This Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), which sets forth research areas of interest to the Army Research Laboratory (ARL) Directorates and Army Research Office (ARO), is issued under the paragraph 6.102(d)(2) of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR), which provides for the competitive selection of basic research proposals. Proposals submitted in response to this BAA and selected for award are considered to be the result of full and open competition and in full compliance with the provision of Public Law 98-369, "The Competition in Contracting Act of 1984" and subsequent amendments.

Link to Additional

[ARL BAA home web page](#)

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[BAA Mailbox](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=173578>

Department of the Army -- Materiel Command
Army Research Office Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research
Modification 4

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

W911NF-12-R-0012

Funding Opportunity Title:

Army Research Office Broad Agency
Announcement for Basic and Applied
Scientific Research

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Other

Procurement Contract

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other
Research and Development

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:**

1000

CFDA Number(s):

12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

May 31, 2012

Creation Date:

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Original Closing Date for Applications:

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Archive Date:

Apr 30, 2017

Eligible Applicants:

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entity above), subject to any
clarification in text field entitled
"Additional Information on Eligibility"

Description:

The purpose of this Broad Agency
Announcement (BAA) is to solicit
research proposals in the engineering,
physical, life, and information sciences
for submission to the Army Research
Office (ARO) for consideration for
possible funding. For ease of
reference, this BAA is an extraction of
the ARO sections of the Army

Link to Additional Information:
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Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command
Army Research Laboratory Broad Agency Announcement for Basic and Applied Scientific Research Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	W911NF-12-R-0011
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	May 31, 2012
Creation Date:	May 31, 2012
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 31, 2017
Archive Date:	Apr 30, 2017
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other Procurement Contract
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	1000
Estimated Total Program Funding:	
Award Ceiling:	
Award Floor:	
CFDA Number(s):	12.431 -- Basic Scientific Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	

No Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:**Agency Name**

Dept. of the Army -- Materiel Command

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Link to Additional Information

[ARL BAA home web page](#)

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Department of Education



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FORECAST OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2014

(As of December 20, 2013)

This document lists virtually all programs and competitions under which the Department (we) has invited or expects to invite applications for new awards and provides actual or estimated deadline dates for the transmittal of applications under these programs. The lists are in the form of charts -- organized according to the Department's principal program offices -- and include programs and competitions we have previously announced, as well as those we plan to announce at a later date. **If you are interested in applying for any upcoming grants with the Department of Education, please take the time to register with SAM at www.SAM.gov, as you must have an active account in order to submit a grant application with our agency. We recommend you register now even as you are looking for eligible grant programs so that your SAM registration is active by the time the application is published. This will allow you to focus on writing the application during the period the application is available and you are not spending a portion of that time obtaining SAM registration. Please click [here](#) to refer to the SAM tip sheet for additional information.**

Note: This document is advisory only and is not an official application notice of the Department of Education. We expect to provide updates to this document starting in the first week of November in a fiscal year and continuing through the following July.

Note on printing: For best results, print this document in landscape orientation.

ORGANIZATION OF THIS DOCUMENT

We have assigned to each principal office a separate chart as follows:

[Chart 1 - Institute of Education Sciences.](#)

[Chart 2 - Office of English Language Acquisition.](#)

[Chart 3 - Office of Elementary and Secondary Education.](#)

[Chart 4 - Office of Innovation and Improvement.](#)

[Chart 5 - Office of Postsecondary Education](#) (Link to IFLE Chart)

[Chart 6 - Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services](#) (links to [NIDRR](#), [SEP](#), [RSA](#) charts).

[Chart 7 - Office of Vocational and Adult Education.](#)

[Chart 8 - Office of the Deputy Secretary - ODS.](#)

GRANT APPLICATION INFORMATION

Here's how you can tell whether we've already published an application notice for a particular program or competition in the *Federal Register* and whether the dates we list in this Forecast of Funding Opportunities are actual or estimates:

If we have published the application notice, we will list the *Federal Register* (FR) volume and page number (e.g., 65 FR 53402) after the date in column two. The other dates for that program or competition (columns four and five) are actual (as opposed to estimated) dates.

If we do not follow the date in column two with an FR citation, it means that we have yet to publish the application notice, and the dates (columns, two, four, and five) are estimates only. The actual dates will appear in the official application notice for that program or competition in the *Federal Register*.

Date of Application Notice. In column two of the charts, we lists the actual or estimated date for publication of the application notice for a given program or competition.

Grant Programs Overview at the Department of Education

To see the complete document click here: <http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html>

The general information page for Education Grant funding is an excellent resource describing the three types of grants awarded by the Department of Education. See the screen shot of the Department of Education web page below:



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ED offers three kinds of grants:

- **Discretionary grants:** awarded using a competitive process.
- **Student loans or grants:** to help students attend college.
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Discretionary Grants Information

Eligibility and Forecasts

- [Find Grant Programs by Eligibility:](#) who can apply for what
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Application Information

- [Federal Register Notices:](#) competitions and other announcements
- [Open competitions:](#) with links to application information
- [Forms](#)

Online Applications

- [Grants.gov:](#) Application packages for ED programs
- [G5:](#) Application packages on ED's online grants system
- [EDPubs:](#) list of downloadable application packages

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- [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#)

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- [Student Loans, Forgiveness](#)

Other grant information

- [IES funding:](#) funding opportunities from ED's Institute for Education Sciences
- [Grants.gov:](#) federal government grant competitions

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Programs:

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Elementary and Secondary School Counseling (ESSC) Program CFDA Number 84.215E Grant

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Grants Notice

ED-GRANTS-031214-001

Office of Elementary and Secondary

	Education (OESE): Elementary and Secondary School Counseling (ESSC) Program CFDA Number 84.215E
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	42
CFDA Number(s):	84.215 -- Fund for the Improvement of Education
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 28, 2014 Applications Available: March 12, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 28, 2014.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 28, 2014 Applications Available: March 12, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 28, 2014.
Archive Date:	May 28, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$14,779,760
Award Ceiling:	\$400,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	1. Eligible Applicants: (a) LEAs, including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law. (b) LEAs that currently have an active grant under the Elementary and Secondary School Counseling Programs are not eligible to apply for an award in this competition. For the purpose of this eligibility requirement, a grant is considered active until the end of the grant's project or funding period, including any extensions of those periods that extend the grantee's authority to obligate funds.
Agency Name:	Department of Education
Description:	Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register

application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at:

<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information.

Purpose of Program: The purpose of the Elementary and Secondary School Counseling Programs (ESSC) is to support efforts by local educational agencies (LEAs) to establish or expand elementary school and secondary school counseling programs. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.215E.

Applications for grants under the Elementary and Secondary School Counseling Programs, CFDA number 84.215E, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Elementary and Secondary School Counseling Programs at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not

Link to Additional Information:

include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.215, not 84.215E).

[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\): Elementary and Secondary School Counseling \(ESSC\) Program CFDA Number 84.215E; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252433>

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Professional Development for Arts Educators (PDAE) Program CFDA Number 84.351C Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

ED-GRANTS-031814-001

Funding Opportunity Title:

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Professional Development for Arts Educators (PDAE) Program CFDA Number 84.351C

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	15
CFDA Number(s):	84.351 -- Arts in Education
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 18, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 18, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014 Applications Available: March 18, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: April 17, 2014. Notice of Intent to Apply: The Department will be able to develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if it has a better understanding of the number of entities that intend to apply for funding under this competition. Therefore, the Secretary strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify the Department by sending a short email message indicating the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding. The email need not include information regarding the content of the proposed application, only the applicant's intent to submit it. The email notification should be sent to the program email address: PDAEFY14Competition@ed.gov. Applicants that fail to provide this email notification may still apply for funding. Date of Pre-Application Meeting: April 3, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: May 19, 2014.
Archive Date:	Jun 18, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$4,600,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	1. Eligible Applicants: An LEA, which may be a charter school that is considered an LEA under State law and regulations, that is acting on behalf of an individual school or schools that meets the poverty

criterion with respect to children from low-income families that is specified in the Application Requirement section elsewhere in this notice, and that must work in partnership with one or more of the following-- A State or local non-profit or governmental arts organization; A State educational agency (SEA) or regional educational service agency; An institution of higher education; or A public or private agency, institution, or organization, including a museum, an arts education association, a library, a theater, or a community- or faith-based organization.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information.

Purpose of Program: The Professional Development for Arts Educators (PDAE) program supports the implementation of high-quality model professional development programs in elementary and secondary education for music, dance, drama, media arts, or visual arts, including folk arts, for educators

and other arts instructional staff of kindergarten through grade 12 (K-12) students in high-poverty schools. The purpose of this program is to strengthen standards-based arts education programs and to help ensure that all students meet challenging State academic content standards and challenging State student academic achievement standards in the arts. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.351C. Applications for grants under the PDAE Program, CFDA Number 84.351C, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the PDAE Program at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.351, or 84.351C).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Innovation and Improvement \(OII\): Professional Development for Arts Educators \(PDAE\) Program CFDA Number 84.351C; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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[e-Mail: Program Mailbox](#)

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252659>

**Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Impact Aid Section 8002 Grant Program
CFDA Number 84.041A Grant**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-032414-003
Funding Opportunity Title:	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Impact Aid Section 8002 Grant Program CFDA Number 84.041A
Opportunity Category:	Mandatory
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	84.041 -- Impact Aid
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 24, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 24, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2014 Applications Available: March 4, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 30, 2014. The Secretary will also accept and approve for payment any otherwise approvable application that is received on or before (1) the 60th calendar day after April 30, 2014, which is June 30, 2014, or (2) the 60th calendar day after the Secretary provides written notice via email to a local educational agency that applied in the previous year but did not apply by April 30, 2014. Consistent with section 8005 of the Impact Aid statute, as well as the

program regulations at 34 CFR 222.6(b)(2), any applicant submitting an application after April 30, 2014, but within the timeframe referenced above, will have its payment reduced by 10 percent of the amount it would have received had its application been filed by April 30, 2014.

Deadline for Intergovernmental Review: June 30, 2014.

May 30, 2014

Archive Date:

Eligible Applicants:

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Local educational agencies that provide free public elementary or secondary education may apply. Under Section 8002, generally, assistance is provided to districts where an aggregate of 10 percent or more of the assessed valuation of all real property in the school district as of the time(s) of acquisition has been acquired by the Federal Government since 1938 and the district is not being substantially compensated by revenue from activities on the eligible Federal property. Under Section 8003, assistance is provided to districts where at least three percent or 400 of the total number of eligible federally connected children in average daily attendance (ADA) live on Federal property including Indian lands and/or have a parent who works on Federal property or is on active duty in the uniformed services. Under Section 8007(b), "heavily impacted" LEAs that enroll a high proportion (at least 40 percent) of federally connected children, or have little or no funding capacity, may be eligible for a competitive construction award.

Agency Name:

Department of Education

Description:

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information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at:

<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information. To provide financial assistance to local educational agencies (LEAs) where affected by Federal activities, i.e., where the tax base of a district is reduced through the Federal acquisition of real property (Section 8002, ESEA), and where the presence of certain children living on Federal property places a financial burden on the LEAs that educate them (Sections 8003 and 8007, ESEA). Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.041A. Applications for grants under this competition must be submitted electronically using G5, the Department's grant management system, accessible through the Department's G5 site.

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\): Impact Aid Section 8002 Grant Program CFDA Number 84.041A; Notice Extending the Application Deadline for Fiscal Year 2015 Awards](#)

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**Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Turnaround School Leaders Program
CFDA Number 84.377B Grant**

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-032814-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE):: Turnaround School Leaders Program CFDA Number 84.377B
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	8
CFDA Number(s):	84.377 -- School Improvement Grants
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 28, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 28, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 23, 2014 Applications Available: March 28, 2014. Date of Pre-Application Webinar: April 9, 2014. Further information will be available at http://www2.ed.gov/programs/sif/index.html . Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply (optional): April 25, 2014. Notice of Intent to Apply: The Department will be able

to develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if it has a better understanding of the number of entities that intend to apply for funding under this program. Therefore, the Secretary strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify the Department by sending a short email message indicating the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding. The email need not include information regarding the content of the proposed application, only the applicant's intent to submit it. This email notification should be sent to the Office of School Turnaround at: leadership.pipeline@ed.gov. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: May 23, 2014. Jun 22, 2014

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Eligible Applicants:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

\$14,000,000
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Eligible Applicants: (1) An LEA or consortium of LEAs with at least five SIG schools and/or SIG-eligible schools; (2) A State educational agency (SEA) in partnership with an LEA or consortium of LEAs with at least five SIG schools and/or SIG-eligible schools; (3) An institution of higher education (IHE) in partnership with an LEA or consortium of LEAs with at least five SIG schools and/or SIG-eligible schools; (4) Another public or private nonprofit or for-profit organization in partnership

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with an LEA and/or consortium of LEAs with at least five SIG schools and/or SIG-eligible schools; and, (5) A combination of the above eligible applicants in partnership. Eligible applicants seeking to apply as a consortium or partnership must comply with the regulations in 34 CFR 75.127-75.129, which address group applications.

Department of Education
Note: Each funding opportunity description is a synopsis of information in the Federal Register application notice. For specific information about eligibility, please see the official application notice. The official version of this document is the document published in the Federal Register. Free Internet access to the official edition of the Federal Register and the Code of Federal Regulations is available on GPO Access at: <http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information, performance measures, priorities and program contact information.
Purpose of Program: The Turnaround School Leaders Program supports projects to develop and implement or enhance and implement a leadership pipeline that selects, prepares, places, supports, and retains school

leaders (which may include leadership teams) for School Improvement Grant (SIG) schools (as defined in this notice) and/or SIG-eligible schools (as defined in this notice) in a local educational agency (LEA) or consortium of LEAs. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.377B.

Applications for grants under the Turnaround School Leaders Program, CFDA number 84.377B, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Turnaround School Leaders Program at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.326, not 84.326A).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Elementary and Secondary Education \(OESE\):: Turnaround School Leaders Program CFDA Number 84.377B; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2013 funds](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253108>

Modifications:

Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS): National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research (NIDRR): Research Fellowships Program CFDA Number 84.133F-1
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251356>

OSERS: NIDRR: Advanced Rehabilitation Research Training (ARRT) Program: Community Living and Participation CFDA Number 84.133P-1
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251357>

OSERS: NIDRR: Advanced Rehabilitation Research Training (ARRT) Program: Employment CFDA Number 84.133P-3
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251358>

OSERS: NIDRR: Advanced Rehabilitation Research Training (ARRT) Program: Health and Function CFDA Number 84.133P-4

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251359>

Reminders:

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Arts in Education Model Development and Dissemination Program CFDA Number 84.351D Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	ED-GRANTS-022514-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Arts in Education Model Development and Dissemination Program CFDA Number 84.351D
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	17
CFDA Number(s):	84.351 -- Arts in Education
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 28, 2014 Applications Available: February 25, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: March 27, 2014. Notice of Intent to Apply: The Department will be able to develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if it has a better understanding of the number of entities that intend to apply for funding under this program. Therefore, the Secretary strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify the Department by sending a short email message indicating the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding. The email need not include information regarding the content of the proposed application, only the applicant's intent to submit it. This email

	<p>notification should be sent to Asheley McBride at artsdemo@ed.gov. Applicants that fail to provide this email notification may still apply for funding. Date of Pre-Application Meeting: March 18, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 28, 2014.</p>
<p>Current Closing Date for Applications:</p>	<p>Apr 28, 2014 Applications Available: February 25, 2014. Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply: March 27, 2014. Notice of Intent to Apply: The Department will be able to develop a more efficient process for reviewing grant applications if it has a better understanding of the number of entities that intend to apply for funding under this program. Therefore, the Secretary strongly encourages each potential applicant to notify the Department by sending a short email message indicating the applicant's intent to submit an application for funding. The email need not include information regarding the content of the proposed application, only the applicant's intent to submit it. This email notification should be sent to Asheley McBride at artsdemo@ed.gov. Applicants that fail to provide this email notification may still apply for funding. Date of Pre-Application Meeting: March 18, 2014. Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: April 28, 2014.</p>
<p>Archive Date: Estimated Total Program Funding: Eligible Applicants:</p>	<p>May 28, 2014 \$8,655,781 Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)</p>
<p>Additional Information on Eligibility:</p>	<p>1. Eligible Applicants: (1) One or more local educational agencies (LEAs), including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law and regulations, that may work</p>

in partnership with one or more of the following: A State or local non-profit or governmental arts organization. A State educational agency (SEA) or regional educational service agency. An institution of higher education. A public or private agency, institution, or organization, such as a community- or faith-based organization; or (2) One or more State or local non-profit or governmental arts organizations that must work in partnership with one or more LEAs and may partner with one or more of the following: An SEA or regional educational service agency. An institution of higher education. A public or private agency, institution, or organization, such as a community- or faith-based organization. Note: If more than one LEA or arts organization wishes to form a consortium and jointly submit a single application, they must follow the procedures for group applications described in 34 CFR 75.127 through 75.129 of EDGAR.

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<http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html>. Please review the official application notice for pre-application and application requirements, application submission information,

performance measures, priorities and program contact information.

Purpose of Program: The Arts in Education Model Development and Dissemination (AEMDD) program supports the enhancement, expansion, documentation, evaluation, and dissemination of innovative, cohesive models that are based on research and have demonstrated that they effectively-- (1) integrate standards-based arts education into the core elementary and middle school curriculum; (2) strengthen standards-based arts instruction in these grades; and (3) improve students' academic performance, including their skills in creating, performing, and responding to the arts. Projects funded through the AEMDD program are intended to increase the amount of nationally available information on effective models for arts education that integrate the arts with standards-based education programs. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.351D.

Applications for Grants under the Arts in Education Model Development and Dissemination program, CFDA number 84.351D, must be submitted electronically using the Governmentwide Grants.gov Apply site at www.Grants.gov. Through this site, you will be able to download a copy of the application package, complete it offline, and then upload and submit your application. You may not email an electronic copy of a grant application to us. You may access the electronic grant application for the Arts in Education Model Development and Dissemination program at www.Grants.gov. You must search for the downloadable

application package for this program by the CFDA number. Do not include the CFDA number's alpha suffix in your search (e.g., search for 84.351, not 84.351D).

Link to Additional Information:

[Office of Innovation and Improvement \(OII\): Arts in Education Model Development and Dissemination Program CFDA Number 84.351D; Notice inviting applications for new awards for fiscal year \(FY\) 2014](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251773>



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The Department's [Office of Nuclear Energy](#) re-established, in FY 1998, a competitive peer-reviewed program to provide grants allowing nuclear engineering faculty and students to conduct innovative research in nuclear engineering and related areas. The awards run from one to three years and are granted in eight separate technical areas related to nuclear engineering: reactor physics, reactor engineering, reactor materials, radiological engineering, radioactive waste management, applied radiation science, nuclear safety and risk analysis, and innovative technologies for next generation reactors, space power and propulsion, or radiation sources. This type of research is vital to the academic community to help promote excellence in nuclear engineering and provide resolution to issues confronting nuclear engineering in general.

The [Office of Nuclear Energy](#) provides tuition, stipends, and practicums to outstanding graduate students studying nuclear engineering and health physics and undergraduate scholarships and practicums to students pursuing a nuclear engineering course of study to ensure that our country will have an adequate supply of trained nuclear scientists and engineers. As an element of this activity, the University Partnership Program pairs minority institutions with institutions offering a nuclear engineering degree to enable more minorities to enter the field of nuclear engineering.

<http://www.doe.gov/grants-contracts>

Programs:

National Energy Technology Laboratory
Notice of Intent to Issue FOA Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0001097

Funding Opportunity Title:

Notice of Intent to Issue FOA

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Energy

Category Explanation:**Expected Number of Awards:**

11

CFDA Number(s):

81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Mar 24, 2014

Creation Date:

Mar 24, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

The application due date is dependent on date of FOA release.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

The application due date is dependent on date of FOA release.

Archive Date:

Jul 14, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$4,500,000
Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000
Award Floor: \$250,000
Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name: National Energy Technology Laboratory

Description: The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy's (EERE) Vehicle Technologies Office (VTO) intends to issue a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled "Alternative Fuel and Advanced Vehicle Deployment Initiatives" to decrease the nation's dependence on petroleum and reduce greenhouse gas emissions by accelerating the deployment of alternative fuels. This FOA intends to select projects that will create and implement high impact and highly innovative approaches to increase the acceptance and deployment of alternative fuels, within the following areas of interests: 1) Alternative Fuel Vehicle Demonstration and Enhanced Driver Experience Project; 2) Alternative Fuel Training activities for first responders, public safety officials, and critical service providers; and 3) Incorporating Alternative Fuels into Emergency Response and Preparedness Operations.

Link to Additional Information: <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>
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Golden Field Office

Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement No. DE-FOA-0000978

Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: DE-FOA-0001047

Funding Opportunity Title: Notice of Intent to Issue Funding Opportunity Announcement No. DE-FOA-0000978 Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Energy

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Posted Date: Mar 12, 2014

Creation Date: Mar 14, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications: Applications are not being accepted through this Notice of Intent (NOI).

Current Closing Date for Applications: Applications are not being accepted through this Notice of Intent (NOI).

Archive Date: Sep 30, 2014

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name: Golden Field Office

Description: The purpose of this modification is to revise the Notice of Intent to include eligibility language for ALL Applicants and specifically for DOE Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs). The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) intends to issue, on behalf of the Wind and Water Power Technologies Office (WWPTO), a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled "Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations". EERE is an organization focused on achieving aggressive and well-defined mid-to-long

term clean energy goals for the United States of America. In that context, EERE has established multi-year plans and roadmaps. EERE focuses the majority of its resources on a limited number of "highest probability of success" pathways/approaches to ensure that the program initiatives are supported at a critical mass (both in terms of dollars and time) for maximum impact. This roadmap-based approach is one of EERE's greatest strengths, which can create challenges in recognizing and exploring unanticipated, game changing pathways/approaches which may ultimately be superior to the pathways/approaches on our existing roadmaps. To enhance the responsiveness of the roadmap approach, EERE is issuing "Incubator" Funding Opportunity Announcements within its existing Offices and programs to support innovative technologies and solutions that could help meet existing goals but are not represented in a significant way in the Offices' existing Multi-Year Program Plans (MYPPs) or current portfolios. The Incubator programs will allow EERE to assess new technologies for their potential to be "on ramped" to future MYPPs. Successful incubator projects will reduce the risk associated with potentially breakthrough approaches and technologies so that they could be viable candidates for inclusion in future program roadmaps. The planned "Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations" FOA continues the work of the Wind Program within EERE, and supports the long-term goals of WWPTO, which include: "Lower the Levelized Cost of Energy (LCOE) of land-based utility-scale wind energy systems from 2011 reference costs¹ of 7.2 ¢/kWh (cents per kilowatt hour) to 4.2 ¢/kWh by 2030 "Lower LCOE of fixed-bottom offshore utility-scale wind energy systems from 2011 reference costs¹ of 22.5 ¢/kWh to 13.7 ¢/kWh by 2030. The FOA encompasses applications for any and all

ideas that have a significant potential to advance the mission of the Wind Program. All high-impact applications will be considered. The purpose of this Notice is to provide potential applicants advance notice that the Wind and Water Power Technologies Office, on behalf of EERE intends to issue a FOA titled, "Technology Incubator for Wind Energy Innovations". NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED THROUGH THIS NOTICE. Please do not submit questions or respond to this Notice of Intent. Prospective applicants to the FOA should begin developing partnerships, formulating ideas, and gathering data in anticipation of the issuance of this FOA. It is anticipated that this FOA will be posted to EERE Exchange no later than March 2014. This Notice is issued so that interested parties are aware of the EERE's intention to issue this FOA in the near term. All of the information contained in this Notice is subject to change. EERE will not respond to questions concerning this Notice. Once the FOA has been released, EERE will provide an avenue for potential Applicants to submit questions. <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov> If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

EERE Exchange Support EERE-ExchangeSupport@hq.doe.gov
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Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252451>

Golden Field Office
Environmental Stewardship for Renewable Energy Technologies: MHK Environmental and Resource Characterization Instrumentation Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000971
Funding Opportunity Title:	Environmental Stewardship for Renewable Energy Technologies: MHK Environmental and Resource

Opportunity Category:	Characterization Instrumentation
Funding Instrument Type:	Discretionary
Category of Funding Activity:	Cooperative Agreement
Category Explanation:	Energy
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 10, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 22, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 22, 2014
Archive Date:	Aug 22, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	Golden Field Office
Description:	This FOA will support the development of instrumentation, associated signal processing algorithms or software, and integration of instrumentation packages for monitoring the environmental impacts of marine and hydrokinetic technologies. It will also support the development and testing of sensors, instrumentation, or processing techniques to collect physical data on ocean waves (e.g., height, period, directionality, steepness). The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at https://eere-exchange.energy.gov . Applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for the EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the EERE website https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx

after logging in to the system.
Information on where to submit
questions regarding the content of the
announcement and where to submit
questions regarding submission of
applications is found in the full FOA
posted on the EERE eXCHANGE
website.

**Link to Additional Information:
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Golden Field Office

Administration of the Wave Energy Converter Prize Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0000979

Funding Opportunity Title:

Administration of the Wave Energy
Converter Prize

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Energy

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and
Development

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Posted Date:

Mar 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Mar 10, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

May 14, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

May 14, 2014

Archive Date:

Aug 14, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity
above), subject to any clarification in text
field entitled "Additional Information on
Eligibility

Agency Name:

Golden Field Office

Description:

The Water Power Program is seeking a
Prize Administrator with expertise in prize

competitions to collaborate with DOE, technical experts, and a wave tank testing facility in developing and implementing the Wave Energy Converter (WEC) Prize. The WEC Prize competition aims to attract innovative ideas from developers new to the industry and next generation ideas from existing developers by offering a monetary prize purse and providing an opportunity for tank testing and evaluation of scaled WEC prototypes. The Program envisions that this competition will achieve game-changing performance enhancements to WEC devices, establishing a pathway to sweeping cost reductions at a commercial scale. Administration of the WEC Prize will include: prize development, implementation of the WEC Prize competition stages (e.g. design, build, and test and evaluation), and post-competition publicity and evaluation of impact of the WEC Prize. The full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>. Concept papers and applications must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website to be considered for award. The applicant must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for EERE eXCHANGE can be found on the website <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx> after logging into the system. Information on where to submit questions regarding the content of the announcement and where to submit questions regarding submission of applications is found in the full FOA posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website.

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

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Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

Scientific Discovery through Advanced Computing (SciDAC): Multiscale Integrated Modeling for Fusion Energy Science Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0001096

Funding Opportunity Title:

Scientific Discovery through Advanced Computing (SciDAC): Multiscale Integrated Modeling for Fusion Energy Science

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Mar 6, 2014

Creation Date:

Mar 11, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

May 2, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

May 2, 2014

Archive Date:

Aug 2, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

See Section III ? ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION of the FOA document for complete information regarding eligibility.

Agency Name:

Office of Science

Description:

The Office of Fusion Energy Sciences (FES) and the Office of Advanced Scientific Computing Research (ASCR), Office of Science, U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), announce their interest in receiving applications from collaborative groups of investigators for developing an integrated simulation capability for fusion energy science.

More specifically, applications are solicited for the development of advanced multiphysics and multiscale integrated simulation capabilities for magnetically confined plasmas addressing problems of direct relevance to burning plasma science and ITER. While developing a full Whole Device Modeling (WDM) simulation capability is beyond the scope of this FOA, this is intended to be a first step toward this goal. Responsive applications are expected to integrate the most critical physical processes across all relevant regions and on all relevant temporal and spatial scales, using an appropriately justified combination of first principles models and high physics fidelity reduced models. Simulation codes should be able to exploit the massive concurrency of the SC leadership class computing facilities and not merely their high capacity. Applications focused solely on the development of computational frameworks are not responsive to this FOA. However, since advanced computational frameworks are essential for enabling and facilitating the coupling and integration of component modules, allocation of resources to adapt, maintain, upgrade, and extend existing frameworks, including those developed by the Fusion Simulation Prototype Centers or "proto-FSPs", is permissible provided they satisfy the above stated requirement of exploiting the capabilities of the SC leadership computing facilities. A companion Program Announcement to DOE Laboratories (LAB 14-1096) will be posted on the SC Grants and Contracts web site at: <http://science.energy.gov/grants/> The

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at: <https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001096&agency=DOE>.

[FedConnect](#)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252245>

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Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

Analytical Modeling for Extreme-Scale Computing Environments Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0001088

Funding Opportunity Title:

Analytical Modeling for Extreme-Scale Computing Environments

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Mar 10, 2014

Creation Date:

Mar 10, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 18, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Apr 18, 2014

Archive Date:

Jul 18, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled

Additional Information on Eligibility:

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995. Individuals with the skills, knowledge, and resources necessary to carry out the proposed research as a Program Director/Principal Investigator are invited to work with their organizations to develop an application for assistance. Individuals from underrepresented groups as well as individuals with disabilities are always encouraged to apply for assistance.

Agency Name:

Office of Science

Description:

The Advanced Scientific Computing Research (ASCR) program of the Office of Science (SC), U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), hereby invites proposals that will significantly improve our understanding of scientific workflow performance over extreme-scale networks and distributed computing infrastructures. A companion Program Announcement to DOE Laboratories (LAB 14-1088) will be posted on the SC Grants and Contracts web site at:

<http://science.energy.gov/grants/> The full text of the Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at: <https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001088&agency=DOE>.

Link to Additional Information:

[FedConnect](https://www.fedconnect.net/FedConnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0001088&agency=DOE)

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252358>

Department of Energy - Office of Science

Office of Science

Theoretical Research in Magnetic Fusion Energy Science Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: DE-FOA-0001102

Funding Opportunity Title: Theoretical Research in Magnetic Fusion Energy Science

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Mar 18, 2014

Creation Date: Mar 18, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jun 19, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jun 19, 2014

Archive Date: Sep 19, 2014

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility: All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December

Agency Name:

Description:

31, 1995. See Section III ?
ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION of the FOA document for complete information regarding eligibility.
Office of Science
The Office of Fusion Energy Sciences (FES) of the Office of Science (SC), U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), announces its interest in receiving new or renewal grant applications for theoretical and computational research relevant to the U.S. magnetic fusion energy sciences program. Applications selected in response to this FOA will be funded in Fiscal Year 2015, subject to the availability of appropriated funds. The specific areas of interest are: 1. Macroscopic Stability 2. Confinement and Transport 3. Boundary Physics 4. Plasma Heating & Non-inductive Current Drive, and 5. Energetic Particles Specific information about each topical area is included in the Supplementary information section of the full Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) document. Due to the limited availability of funds, Principal Investigators with continuing theory grants may not submit a new application in the same topical areas as their existing grant. A Principal Investigator may submit only one application in response to this FOA, but applications can target multiple topical areas. Multiple applications from the same institution are allowed, subject to the above constraints. The full text of the FOA is located on FedConnect. Instructions for completing the Grant Application Package are contained in the full text of the FOA which can be obtained at:
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Modifications:

National Energy Technology Laboratory
Microgrid Research, Development, and System Design
Modification 2

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250754>

National Energy Technology Laboratory
Advanced Gasification and Novel Transformational Coal Conversion Technologies Development
Modification 3

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251660>

PAMS
Department of Energy - Office of Science
Office of Science
Scientific Discovery through Advanced Computing (SciDAC): Multiscale Integrated Modeling for Fusion Energy Science
Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252245>

Reminders:

Golden Field Office
DE-FOA-0001084 COMMERCIAL BUILDING TECHNOLOGY DEMONSTRATIONS
Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0001084

Funding Opportunity Title:

DE-FOA-0001084 COMMERCIAL
BUILDING TECHNOLOGY
DEMONSTRATIONS

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:	Grant
Category Explanation:	Energy
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 27, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 27, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 19, 2014
Archive Date:	Aug 19, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Small businesses Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Special district governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Private institutions of higher education Independent school districts For profit organizations other than small businesses State governments County governments City or township governments Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Individuals
Agency Name:	Golden Field Office
Description:	Advanced building technologies and systems can contribute to the cost-effective delivery of new buildings and retrofits that significantly lower building energy consumption. DOE seeks to fund demonstration and deployment activities for technologies that are ready for

market adoption but that may be underutilized due to market barriers including perception of risk, gaps in information and data on performance as well as cost. These technologies will offer a high degree of differentiation between current industry solutions, be widely replicable across the building size, sector and application and provide significant energy savings potential (as determined by market opportunity, site savings, and total potential savings at 100% penetration). Funding through this opportunity will enhance and accelerate the deployment and adoption of a broad range of competitively-solicited high impact energy saving technologies as well as new technology integration approaches. The technical and/or non-technical products of this funding should be deployed for scale up as a part of the award agreement and will enable investment-level decision-making by building owners, investors and operators in order to produce energy savings.

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Golden Field Office
Bioenergy Technologies Incubator Grant

Document Type:
Funding Opportunity Number:
Funding Opportunity Title:

Grants Notice
DE-FOA-0000974
Bioenergy Technologies Incubator

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Energy
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 23, 2014 Deadline for Concept Papers: 03/31/2014 5:00 pm (EST) Deadline for Full Applications: 05/23/2014 5:00 pm (EST)
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 23, 2014 Deadline for Concept Papers: 03/31/2014 5:00 pm (EST) Deadline for Full Applications: 05/23/2014 5:00 pm (EST)
Archive Date:	Feb 25, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	Golden Field Office
Description:	The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) will issue, on behalf of the Bioenergy Technologies Office (BETO), a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled "Bioenergy Technologies Incubator". BETO's mission is to engage in research and development (R&D) and demonstration at increasing scale activities to transform renewable biomass resources into commercially viable, high-performance biofuels, and bioproducts and biopower that enable biofuel production. To accomplish this mission, BETO develops a strategic plan, or multi- year program plan , to identify the technical challenges and barriers that need to be overcome. However, BETO recognizes that there may be

novel and potentially disruptive ideas that do not necessarily align well with BETO's current multi-year program plan yet still meet the goals and mission of BETO. The Bioenergy Incubator Program is intended to identify these potentially impactful technologies and solutions that are not meaningfully addressed in BETO's strategic plan or project portfolio. It is NOT intended to fund projects that are incremental improvements to current products or processes or for established work in BETO's strategic plan or current portfolio. The Bioenergy Technologies Incubator FOA will be 'open' to any and all impactful proposals which significantly advance the mission of the BETO. It is expected that proposals will be at early Technology Readiness Levels (TRL) ranging from 2 (Technology concept and/or application formulated) to 4 (Component and/or breadboard validation in laboratory environment). Successful incubator projects will reduce the risk associated with potentially breakthrough approaches and technologies so that they could be viable candidates in future program roadmaps. EERE envisions awarding multiple financial assistance awards in the form of cooperative agreements. The total amount of funding for the FOA is \$10 million. The estimated period of performance for each award will be approximately 12-24 months, with an award size from \$0.5 million to \$2.0 million, with 20% cost-share. The Exchange system is currently designed to enforce hard deadlines for Concept Paper and Full Application submissions. The APPLY and SUBMIT buttons automatically

disable at the defined submission deadlines. The intention of this design is to consistently enforce a standard deadline for applicants. Applicants that experience issues with submissions PRIOR to the FOA Deadline: In the event that an Applicant experiences technical difficulties with a submission, the Applicant should contact the Exchange helpdesk for assistance (exchange@hq.doe.gov). The Exchange helpdesk and/or the EERE Exchange System Administrators (exchange@go.doe.gov) will assist the Applicant in resolving all issues. Applicants that experience issues with submissions that result in a late submission: In the event that an Applicant experiences technical difficulties with a submission that results in a late submission, the Applicant should contact the Exchange helpdesk for assistance (exchange@hq.doe.gov). The Exchange helpdesk and/or the EERE Exchange System Administrators (exchange@go.doe.gov) will assist the Applicant in resolving the issues (including finalizing the submission on behalf of and with the Applicant's concurrence). DOE will only accept late applications when the Applicant has a) encountered technical difficulties beyond their control; b) has contact the Exchange helpdesk for assistance; and c) has submitted the application through Exchange within 24 hours of the FOA's posted deadline. The Bioenergy Technologies Incubator FOA Informational Webinar will be held Monday, March 3, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. EST. Standard application questions regarding the EERE Office and FOA procedures will be discussed. Title: Bioenergy

Technologies Incubator FOA
Informational Webinar Date:
Monday, March 3, 2014 Time: 1:00
PM - 2:00 PM EST Reserve your
Webinar seat now at:
<https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/689477432> After registering you
will receive a confirmation email
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Golden Field Office

Integrated Enhanced Geothermal Systems (EGS) Research and Development Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000842
Funding Opportunity Title:	Integrated Enhanced Geothermal Systems (EGS) Research and Development
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Energy
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 21, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 21, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 30, 2014
Archive Date:	Jul 30, 2014
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other

than institutions of higher education
Special district governments
Small businesses
County governments
Native American tribal organizations
(other than Federally recognized
tribal governments)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status
with the IRS, other than institutions
of higher education
Private institutions of higher
education
Public and State controlled
institutions of higher education
State governments
Independent school districts
City or township governments
Individuals
Native American tribal governments
(Federally recognized)
Public housing authorities/Indian
housing authorities
For profit organizations other than
small businesses
Golden Field Office

Agency Name:

Description:

Through this Funding Opportunity
Announcement (FOA), the
Geothermal Technologies Office's
(GTO) Enhanced Geothermal
Systems (EGS) Subprogram seeks to
advance subsurface characterization
via an integrated technical approach
to EGS R&D ? GTO encourages the
community to integrate technologies
to address the challenges associated
with quantifying reservoir
complexity. GTO is interested in
increasing the precision and accuracy
of directly measured parameters and
improving the ability to constrain
calculated or inferred reservoir
properties from these direct
measurements. Critical parameters
that GTO is interested in constraining
include, but are not limited to: matrix
to fracture heat transfer area; fluid
mean residence time; in-situ stresses;

fracture spacing; fracture aperture distribution; porosity; and reservoir volume. GTO seeks research projects that will facilitate a better understanding of physicochemical conditions to optimize subsurface engineering and stimulation methods, as well as assess and better understand the evolution and sustainability of a reservoir during long-term operations.

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Golden Field Office

Building Energy Efficiency Frontiers and Incubator Technologies (BENEFIT) – 2014 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0001027
Funding Opportunity Title:	Building Energy Efficiency Frontiers and Incubator Technologies (BENEFIT) - 2014
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Energy
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.086 -- Conservation Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Feb 4, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 4, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014
Archive Date:	Jul 19, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name:

Golden Field Office

Description:

The Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) has issued, on behalf of the Building Technologies Office (BTO), a Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) entitled Building Energy Efficiency Frontiers and Incubator Technologies (BENEFIT) - 2014, Number DE-FOA-0001027. The FOA is posted on the EERE eXCHANGE website at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>. Mandatory concept papers must be submitted through the EERE eXCHANGE website by March 6, 2014, followed by full applications due by April 21, 2014. Applicants must first register and create an account on the EERE eXCHANGE website. A User Guide for EERE eXCHANGE can be found at <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/Manuals.aspx> after logging in to the system. The BENEFIT FOA includes the following Areas of Interest: Incubators (Off-Roadmap): Area of Interest 1: Open Topic for Energy Efficiency Solutions for Residential and Commercial Buildings Innovative energy-efficiency technologies, approaches, or design tools NOT already supported or targeted by BTO are eligible to apply under this area of interest, providing they show a clear application to residential and/or commercial buildings with significant primary energy savings potential. Area of Interest 2: Innovative Sensors & Sensor Systems Develop open architecture sensors and sensor

systems that easily share data to enable building operators and owners to cost effectively capture energy and cost savings through the use of new and existing control system applications. Major goals in this development area are low cost, data sharing, and ease of deployment (plug-n-play methodologies).

Frontiers (Roadmap-Driven): Area of Interest 3: Advanced Energy-Efficient Clothes Dryers

Applications are sought for advanced energy-efficient clothes dryers (vented and ventless). Economic and technical goals are defined for this area. Furthermore, concepts with measurable non-energy benefits, which are important for market success, are particularly encouraged.

Area of Interest 4: Highly Insulating Building Envelope Components

Subtopic 1, Visibly transparent building envelope components:

There are technical and economic goals for this area that are significant improvements of current technology.

Performance metrics include
≥ R-7 (residential) and
≥ R-5 (commercial). Subtopic 2, Opaque building envelope components: The metrics and targets for this subtopic are > R-8/inch building envelope thermal insulation material that can be added to either the exterior or interior walls in existing buildings at < \$0.30/ft² installed cost premium (labor and material).

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Golden Field Office

Low Temperature Geothermal Mineral Recovery Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0001016
Funding Opportunity Title:	Low Temperature Geothermal Mineral Recovery Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Energy
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	8
CFDA Number(s):	81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 4, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 4, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 2, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 2, 2014
Archive Date:	Aug 1, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$3,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$200,000
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name:	Golden Field Office
Description:	While geothermal power is an attractive potential source for sustainable energy production, the high heat temperature requirements (typically >150°C) of most geothermal capture systems constrain geographic distribution and economic viability of geothermal energy production. Advancement of strategic material or mineral recovery aims to address this limitation. By partnering with geothermal and

mineral industry stakeholders to develop additional revenue streams from brines, the economic viability of geothermal projects will increase while also allowing for increased geographic diversity of this clean, round-the-clock energy source. Rare earths and strategic minerals are essential for modern industry, especially clean-energy technologies, but are subject to supply risk in the face of ever-increasing demand. As an example, consumer uses of lithium batteries have soared over the last decade, powering everything from electric cars to tablets to cell phones. Global demand for lithium carbonate is expected to exceed 250,000 tons by 2017—a 60% increase over current usage. As demand grows in this burgeoning market, a reliable supply of critical materials for advanced manufacturing technologies is a growing concern. This program aims to help alleviate this type of supply bottleneck. The Energy Department seeks up to ten 1-2 year feasibility and/or applied R&D projects that will lead to commercialized technologies. Geothermal mining of rare earth and near-critical metals are the focus of this research, with the intent to effectively lower the cost of geothermal energy production while diversifying and stabilizing the supply of critical materials for domestic industries. To learn more about the `Low-Temperature Mineral Recovery Program` funding opportunity, [click here](#). Register for an informative webinar to learn more about the strategic material extraction and this opportunity. The Energy Department's Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) accelerates

development and facilitates deployment of energy efficiency and renewable energy technologies and market-based solutions that strengthen U.S. energy security, environmental quality, and economic vitality. EERE supports innovative technologies that reduce both risk and costs of bringing geothermal power online. Learn more about the Department's efforts to develop geothermal energy.

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DOE - Office of Science
Office of Science
Scientific Discovery through Ultrafast Materials and Chemical Sciences Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0001089
Funding Opportunity Title:	Scientific Discovery through Ultrafast Materials and Chemical Sciences
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 21, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 20, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014

Archive Date:

Jul 21, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher education
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
For profit organizations other than small businesses
Small businesses

Additional Information on Eligibility:

U.S. citizens and lawful permanent residents are not eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient (lead organization). Applications will only be accepted from organizations. Foreign entities, whether for-profit or otherwise, are not eligible to apply for funding under this FOA. For-profit entities, educational institutions, and nonprofits (except those described in section 501 (c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995) that are incorporated (or otherwise formed) under the laws of a particular State or territory of the United States are eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient (lead organization) or subawardee (team member). State, local, and tribal government entities are not eligible to apply for funding as a prime recipient (lead organization) or subawardee (team member). DOE/NNSA National Laboratories are not eligible to apply under this FOA for funding as a prime recipient (lead organization). DOE/NNSA National Laboratories are eligible for funding as a subawardee (team member) in collaborations led by

other institutions. Non-DOE/NNSA FFRDCs and non-DOE GOGOs are eligible to apply for funding as a subawardee (team member), but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient (lead organization). Federal agencies and instrumentalities (other than DOE) are eligible to apply for funding as a subawardee (team member), but are not eligible to apply as a prime recipient (lead organization). Foreign entities, whether for-profit or otherwise, are not eligible to apply for funding under this FOA.

Agency Name:

Office of Science

Description:

The Office of Basic Energy Sciences (BES), U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), announces its interest in receiving applications from small collaborative groups of investigators for support of combined experimental and theoretical efforts to advance ultrafast chemical and materials science. A companion Program Announcement to the DOE National Laboratories (LAB 14-1089) will be posted on the SC Grants and Contracts website at <http://science.energy.gov/grants>

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DOE - Office of Science

Office of Science

Targeted Radiochemistry and Associated Technology Development for Integrated Nuclear

Medicine Research and Training with Human Application: A Joint Research Funding Opportunity Announcement NIH, Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0001075
Funding Opportunity Title:	Targeted Radiochemistry and Associated Technology Development for Integrated Nuclear Medicine Research and Training with Human Application: A Joint Research Funding Opportunity Announcement NIH, DOE
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 6, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 6, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 18, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 18, 2014
Archive Date:	Jul 18, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$5,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Additional Information on Eligibility:	All types of entities are eligible to apply, except other Federal agencies, Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995. Synergistic collaborations with researchers in Federal Laboratories and Federally Funded Research and Development Centers (FFRDCs), including the DOE National Laboratories are permitted. Collaborations should be limited to

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Description:

filling critical voids in expertise and can represent no more than 50 percent of the total budget.

Office of Science

The U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Science, Office of Biological and Environmental Research (OBER), and the National Institutes of Health (NIH), National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering (NIBIB), hereby announce their interest in receiving applications for potential funding of Translational Biomarkers

Development to serve two important goals: 1. Develop clinically relevant radionuclide imaging biomarkers to individualize and optimize medical care through new, improved diagnostic and theranostic approaches, and 2. Enhancement of training opportunities of young scientists and clinicians in translational nuclear medicine.

Applicants must have access to existing advanced facilities and an interdisciplinary collaborative team of clinicians specialized in human disease- or disorder-specific nuclear medicine imaging techniques as well as radiochemists, synthetic chemists, and/or biochemists with the ability to support a robust research-training environment. Institutional settings should offer broad ranging research collaborations between clinical physicians and basic and translational research scientists. In addition, research applicants should have easy access to advanced nuclear medicine imaging facilities, such as positron emission tomography (PET) and single photon emission computed tomography (SPECT), and radiochemistry laboratories for radiotracer synthesis, validation and quality control.

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Department of Energy - Office of Science
Office of Science

FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0000995

Funding Opportunity Title:

FY 2014 Continuation of Solicitation for the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement
Grant

Category of Funding Activity:

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

No

Posted Date:

Oct 1, 2013

Creation Date:

Oct 1, 2013

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2014

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Sep 30, 2014

Archive Date:

Dec 31, 2014

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$400,000,000

Award Ceiling:

\$0

Award Floor:

\$0

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

All types of applicants are eligible to apply, except

Agency Name:**Description:**

Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995.

Office of Science

The Office of Science of the Department of Energy hereby announces its continuing interest in receiving grant applications for support of work in the following program areas: Advanced Scientific Computing Research, Basic Energy Sciences, Biological and Environmental Research, Fusion Energy Sciences, High Energy Physics, and Nuclear Physics. On September 3, 1992, DOE published in the Federal Register the Office of Energy Research Financial Assistance Program (now called the Office of Science Financial Assistance Program), 10 CFR 605, as a Final Rule, which contained a solicitation for this program. Information about submission of applications, eligibility, limitations, evaluation and selection processes and other policies and procedures are specified in 10 CFR 605.

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National Energy Technology Laboratory
Microgrid Research, Development, and System Design Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

DE-FOA-0000997

Funding Opportunity Title:

Microgrid Research, Development, and System Design

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Community Development

Energy

Environment

Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Category Explanation:	6
Expected Number of Awards:	81.122 -- Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability, Research, Development and Analysis
CFDA Number(s):	Yes
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Jan 31, 2014
Posted Date:	Jan 31, 2014
Creation Date:	Apr 28, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 28, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jul 28, 2014
Archive Date:	\$7,000,000
Estimated Total Program Funding:	Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"
Eligible Applicants:	National Energy Technology Laboratory
Agency Name:	The objective of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to solicit applications for financial assistance awards to enable microgrid development. This FOA is responsive to addressing high-priority research, development and demonstration activities, identified jointly with key stakeholders, to overcome key challenges facing broad adoption of microgrids for key commercial applications.
Description:	FedConnect
Link to Additional Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:
Contact Information:	John R. Hatfield, Contract Specialist, 304-285-5235 John.Hatfield@netl.doe.gov John.Hatfield@netl.doe.gov

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Golden Field Office
Geothermal Play Fairway Analysis Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000841
Funding Opportunity Title:	Geothermal Play Fairway Analysis
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
	Grant
	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Energy
Category Explanation:	

Expected Number of Awards: 81.087 -- Renewable Energy Research and Development
CFDA Number(s): Yes
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Jan 24, 2014
Posted Date: Jan 24, 2014
Creation Date: Apr 11, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications: Apr 11, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jul 11, 2014
Archive Date: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),
Eligible Applicants: subject to any clarification in text field entitled
"Additional Information on Eligibility"
Agency Name: Golden Field Office
Description: Reducing risk through improved drilling success rates is critical to securing financing and ultimately lowering overall costs for developing geothermal power projects. This success hinges on knowledge of the geological, geophysical, and geochemical characteristics that indicate geothermal favorability; along with improved coverage of data that are signatures of the key properties of temperature, permeability, and fluid. To this end, GTO is interested in projects that apply innovative exploration technologies to collect new data and/or apply new analysis methods to extract new value from data. Successful applications will focus on one of the regions identified in GTO's Data Gap Analysis, and include a significant component of uncertainty analysis that directly demonstrates potential or real impact on success rates. Projects should lead to the development of a Geothermal Play Fairway, which details a specific region constrained through a favorable e combination of structural and hydrological conditions.
Link to Additional Information: <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov>
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Every year, EPA awards grants through the [P3 award competition](#) to college teams across the country who participate in the [National Sustainable Design Expo](#). Above, Harvard, Wellesley, MIT, and Qinghai Normal University students developed a 3-in-1 solar cooker, heater, and electricity generator to help bring clean energy to the rural Himalayas. [Read more about this project.](#)

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Programs:

National Indoor Environments Program: Reducing Public Exposure to Indoor Pollutants Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

EPA-OAR-ORIA-14-03

Funding Opportunity Title:

National Indoor Environments
Program: Reducing Public Exposure
to Indoor Pollutants

Opportunity Category:

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:

Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity:

Environment

Category Explanation:	20
Expected Number of Awards:	66.034 -- Surveys, Studies, Research, Investigations, Demonstrations, and Special Purpose Activities Relating to the Clean Air Act
CFDA Number(s):	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 10, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 10, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014 Please see Section IV of the announcement for additional submission information.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014 Please see Section IV of the announcement for additional submission information.
Archive Date:	May 21, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$12,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Please see Section III of the announcement for eligibility information.
Agency Name:	Environmental Protection Agency
Description:	This notice announces the availability of funds and solicits applications from eligible entities for demonstration, training, outreach and/or education cooperative agreements that will have a national scale impact to reduce exposure to indoor air contaminants and yield measurable environmental outcomes.
Link to Additional Information:	National Indoor Environments Program: Reducing Public Exposure to Indoor Pollutants
Contact Information:	If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: Brenda Doroski, 2023439764 Brenda Doroski

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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-OW-OWOW-14-02
Funding Opportunity Title:	FY 2014 and FY 2015 National Wetland Program Development Grants
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	8
CFDA Number(s):	66.462 -- National Wetland Program Development Grants and Five-Star Restoration Training Grant
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 7, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 7, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 17, 2014 Please refer to the full announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 17, 2014 Please refer to the full announcement, including Section IV, for additional information on submission methods and due dates.
Archive Date:	May 17, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$800,000
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$0
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	See Section III of the announcement for additional eligibility information. Eligible applicants under this announcement are non-profit, non-governmental organizations, interstate agencies, and intertribal consortia which are capable of undertaking activities that advance wetland programs. ² Non-profit private universities and colleges and non-profit institutions of higher education are considered non-profit organizations and are eligible under this announcement. Individual states, tribes, local governments, and for-profit organizations are not eligible to

Agency Name:

Description:

apply under this announcement.

Environmental Protection Agency
The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is soliciting proposals from eligible applicants for projects that develop or refine state/tribal/local government wetland programs as a whole, or individual components of those programs. Proposals for projects submitted under this announcement for Wetland Program Development Grants (WPDGs) must address the National Priority Area identified in Section I.B.

Link to Additional Information:

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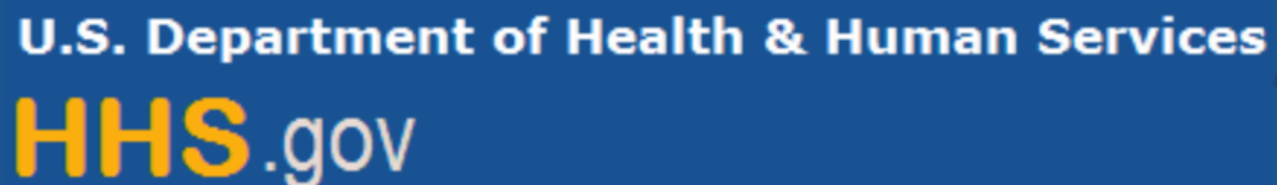
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HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CZ-0807	National Center for Legal and Judicial Excellence in Child Welfare	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CB-0806	National Abandoned Infants Resource Center	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program	ACF	01/02/2014

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Funding Opportunity No.	Title	Agency	Last Updated
HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CZ-0807	National Center for Legal and Judicial Excellence in Child Welfare	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CB-0806	National Abandoned Infants Resource Center	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program	ACF	01/02/2014
HHS-2013-IHS-BHSA-0001	Domestic Violence Prevention Initiative Sexual Assault Projects Expansion	IHS	01/02/2014
HHS-2013-IHS-TSGN-0001	Department of Health and Human Services, Indian Health Service, Tribal Self-Governance Program, Negotiation Cooperative Agreement	IHS	01/02/2014

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Administration for Children and Families - ORR

Rescue & Restore Victims of Human Trafficking Regional Program Grant

Document Type:

Funding Opportunity Number:

Funding Opportunity Title:

Opportunity Category:

Grants Notice

HHS-2014-ACF-ORR-ZV-0773

Rescue & Restore Victims of Human

Trafficking Regional Program

Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	20
CFDA Number(s):	93.598 -- Services to Victims of a Severe Form of Trafficking
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 6, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 6, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 21, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Archive Date:	May 21, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,200,000
Award Ceiling:	\$150,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	County governments For profit organizations other than small businesses City or township governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities State governments Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Special district governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Small businesses Public and State controlled institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Independent school districts
Nonprofits that do not have a
501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other
than institutions of higher education
Private institutions of higher
education
Faith-based and community
organizations that meet the eligibility
requirements are eligible to receive
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Agency Name:

Administration for Children and
Families - ORR

Description:

The Office of Refugee Resettlement
(ORR) within the Administration for
Children and Families (ACF)
announces the availability of funds
for its Rescue & Restore Victims of
Human Trafficking Regional
Program. Building on the work of the
U.S. Department of Health and
Human Services (HHS) Rescue &
Restore Victims of Human
Trafficking Campaign, which began
to establish local anti-trafficking
coalitions, ORR seeks to continue
and expand its efforts to increase
identification of foreign victims of
trafficking and promote local
capacity to prevent human trafficking
and protect victims of human
trafficking. Grant recipients will
serve as focal points for the
identification of foreign victims of
severe forms of trafficking in persons
as defined by the Trafficking Victims
Protection Act of 2000 and their

referral for protection and assistance in their targeted geographic area. Foreign victim identification activities include direct outreach to victims, anti-trafficking training and outreach to local professionals and organizations or entities that may encounter victims of trafficking, active participation in a strong-multidisciplinary anti-trafficking coalition or task force, and strategic public awareness activities.

Link to Additional Information:

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foia/view/HHS-2014-ACF-ORR-ZV-0773>

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Administration for Children and Families - OCS
Assets for Independence Demonstration Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HHS-2014-ACF-OCS-EI-0774
Funding Opportunity Title:	Assets for Independence Demonstration Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	50
CFDA Number(s):	93.602 -- Assets for Independence Demonstration Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 7, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 7, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 7, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due

Current Closing Date for Applications:	<p>date.</p> <p>May 7, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.</p>
Archive Date:	Aug 4, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$12,500,000
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000
Award Floor:	\$10,000
Eligible Applicants:	<p>Independent school districts</p> <p>Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities</p> <p>Small businesses</p> <p>Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>City or township governments</p> <p>Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)</p> <p>County governments</p> <p>Public and State controlled institutions of higher education</p> <p>Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education</p> <p>Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)</p> <p>Private institutions of higher education</p> <p>Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)</p> <p>State governments</p> <p>For profit organizations other than small businesses</p> <p>Special district governments</p>
Additional Information on Eligibility:	<p>Non-profit entities without 501(c)(3) status may only apply as a collaboration/consortia applicant with an entity that does have 501(c)(3) status. Additionally, governmental entities are eligible only as collaboration/consortia applicants with a non-profit organization having 501(c)(3) status.</p>

Applications submitted by collaboration/consortia applicants, for example, by a state, a local or tribal government agency, and a non-profit organization must clearly identify the organizations that are the collaboration/consortia applicant. An authorized representative of the designated organization that will be responsible for grant administration and AFI project implementation must sign the grant application. The responsible applicant may be either the government entity or the non-profit organization. Low-Income Credit Unions and Community Development Financial Institutions are eligible only if they demonstrate a strong collaborative relationship with one or more local community-based organization(s) that seek to address poverty and the economic needs of community residents. Such community-based organizations may be entities such as philanthropic foundations, community foundations, for-profit organizations, or non-profit organizations. If a non-profit, they are not required to have 501(c)(3) status. Low-Income Credit Unions and Community Development Financial Institutions may also be a subsidiary of or otherwise affiliated with a state, local or tribal government, or any non-profit or for-profit organization. Faith-based and community organizations that meet the eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Faith-based organizations are encouraged to review the ACF Policy on Grants to Faith-Based Organizations at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/acf-policy-on-grants-to-faith-based-organizations>. Individuals, foreign

entities, and sole proprietorship organizations are not eligible to compete for, or receive, awards made under this announcement.

Agency Name:

Administration for Children and Families - OCS

Description:

The Office of Community Services (OCS) within the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) announces that competing applications will be accepted for grants to administer projects for the national Assets for Independence (AFI) of Individual Development Accounts (IDAs). The projects will provide IDAs and related services to individuals and families with low incomes. A primary feature of each AFI project is that participants save earned income in an IDA to purchase a home, capitalize or expand a business for self-employment, or attend postsecondary education or training. Projects also ensure that participants have access to financial education training and coaching, including family budgeting, debt and credit counseling, using mainstream financial products, and accessing refundable tax credits. As a condition of their federal AFI grant, grantees must provide non-federal funds to support their AFI project in an amount at least equal to the Federal AFI grant amount. This is a standing announcement. For the next three Fiscal Years (2014, 2015, 2016), there will be multiple application due dates during each year.

Link to Additional Information:

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Administration for Children and Families
Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB
Basic Center Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CY-0792
Funding Opportunity Title:	Basic Center Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	116
CFDA Number(s):	93.623 -- Basic Center Grant
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 12, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 12, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Archive Date:	Jun 11, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$18,166,163
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Eligible Applicants:	State governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education County governments Private institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
Special district governments
City or township governments
In selecting eligible applicants to receive grants under this FOA, priority will be given to private entities that have experience in providing shelter and services to runaway, homeless and street youth as required by the RHY Act. Private institutions of higher education must be non-profit entities. In addition to both public and nonprofit private entities, a combination of such entities can receive grants per section 5711(a)(1) of the RHY Act. Faith-based and community organizations that meet the eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Faith-based organizations are encouraged to review the ACF Policy on Grants to Faith-Based Organizations at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/acf-policy-on-grants-to-faith-based-organizations>. Individuals, foreign entities, and sole proprietorship organizations are not eligible to compete for, or receive, awards made under this announcement.

Agency Name:

Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB

Description:

The Administration for Children and Families' (ACF), Administration on Children, Youth and Families' (ACYF), Family and Youth Services Bureau (FYSB) will award funding for the Basic Center Program (BCP). The purpose of the BCP is to provide

an alternative for runaway and homeless youth who might otherwise end up with law enforcement or in the child welfare, mental health, or juvenile justice systems. The BCP works to establish or strengthen community-based programs that meet the immediate needs of runaway and homeless youth and their families. The programs provide youth up to age 18 with emergency shelter, food, clothing, counseling and referrals for health care. Most basic centers can provide 21 days of shelter for up to 20 youth at a time. There are exceptions for jurisdictions that have different standards for licensing. Basic centers seek to reunite young people with their families, whenever possible, or to locate appropriate alternative placements. Services will include: street-based services; home-based services for families with youth at risk of separation from the family; drug abuse education and prevention services; and at the request of runaway and homeless youth, testing for sexually transmitted diseases.

Link to Additional Information: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-CY-0792>

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Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB
Street Outreach Program Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-YO-0790

Funding Opportunity Title:	Street Outreach Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	20
CFDA Number(s):	93.557 -- Education and Prevention Grants to Reduce Sexual Abuse of Runaway, Homeless and Street Youth
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes
Posted Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 12, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 12, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 12, 2014 Electronically submitted applications must be submitted no later than 11:59 p.m., ET, on the listed application due date.
Archive Date:	Jun 11, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,248,804
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000
Award Floor:	\$90,000
Eligible Applicants:	Private institutions of higher education State governments Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments) Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Special district governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) Independent school districts Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

City or township governments
County governments
Eligible applicants include public and non-profit private entities that include States, localities, and coordinated networks of such entities. Per RHY Act section 351, for-profit organizations are not eligible. In selecting eligible applicants to receive grants under this FOA, priority will be given to entities that have experience in providing shelter and services to runaway, homeless, or street youth as required by the RHY Act. Faith-based and community organizations that meet the eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Faith-based organizations are encouraged to review the ACF Policy on Grants to Faith-Based Organizations at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/acf-policy-on-grants-to-faith-based-organizations>. Individuals, foreign entities, and sole proprietorship organizations are not eligible to compete for, or receive, awards made under this announcement.

Agency Name:

Administration for Children & Families - ACYF/FYSB

Description:

Today, in communities across the country, young people are living on the streets after running from or being asked to leave homes characterized by abuse, neglect, or parental drug and alcohol abuse. Once on the streets, such youth are at risk of being sexually exploited or abused by adults for pleasure or profit. In addition, such youth may engage in shoplifting, survival sex, or drug dealing in order to provide for their basic needs. Since 1996, SOP has been aiding this population by funding grantees to provide street-

based services to runaway, homeless, and street youth who have been subjected to, or are at risk of being subjected to, sexual abuse, prostitution, or sexual exploitation. These services, which are provided in areas where street youth congregate, are designed to assist such youth in making healthy choices regarding where they live and how they behave.

Link to Additional Information:

<http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foia/view/HHS-2014-ACF-ACYF-YO-0790>

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<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252438>

Research:

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality
Evaluation of AHRQ Initiative to Accelerate the Dissemination and Implementation of PCOR Findings into Primary Care (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252413>

Agency for Health Care Research and Quality
Accelerating the Dissemination and Implementation of PCOR Findings into Primary Care Practice (R18) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252414>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Reduce Hepatitis Infections by Treatment and Integrated Prevention Services (Hepatitis-TIPS) among Non-urban Young Persons Who Inject Drugs Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253062>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Provider Education and Public Awareness about Primary Immunodeficiency Disease Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252976>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Cooperative Agreement for the Strengthening and the Development of Applied Epidemiology and Sustainable Public Health Capacity through Collaboration, Program Development and Implementation, Communication and Information Sharing Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=222062>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD) Increasing Educational Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252653>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) and Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) Cooperative Agreements Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252658>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Continuing Enhanced National Surveillance for Prion Diseases in the United States Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252654>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Serve as the U.S. partner within the global STOP TB Partnership and participate in Stop TB Partnership activities Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252684>

Food & Drug Administration

Physiologically Based Absorption and Pharmacokinetic Modeling and Simulation for Non-gastrointestinally Absorbed Drug Products In Humans Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253186>

Food & Drug Administration

Pharmacometric Modeling and Simulation for Generic Drugs Evaluation Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253187>

Health Resources & Services Administration

R40 MCH Autism Intervention Research Program Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252505>

Health Resources & Services Administration

R40 MCH Autism Secondary Data Analysis Studies (SDAS) Program Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252506>

National Institutes of Health

Targeting Latently Infected Cells Without Reactivation (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252983>

National Institutes of Health
NIH Blueprint Program for Enhancing Neuroscience Diversity through Undergraduate
Research Education Experiences (R25) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253041>

National Institutes of Health
Effects of Cannabis Use and Cannabinoids on the Developing Brain (R03) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253045>

National Institutes of Health
Effects of Cannabis Use and Cannabinoids on the Developing Brain (R21) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253046>

National Institutes of Health
Effects of Cannabis Use and Cannabinoids on the Developing Brain (R01) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253047>

National Institutes of Health
Development of Software and Analysis Methods for Biomedical Big Data in Targeted Areas of
High Need (U01)
Modification 6

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251544>

National Institutes of Health
Prevention and Treatment of Substance Using Populations with or at Risk for HCV (R34)
Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252079>

National Institutes of Health
Prevention and Treatment of Substance Using Populations with or at Risk for HCV (R21)
Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252080>

National Institutes of Health
Prevention and Treatment of Substance Using Populations with or at Risk for HCV (R01)
Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252081>

National Institutes of Health
Planning Grants for Alzheimer's Disease Translational Centers for Predictive Drug Development
(R34) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252239>

National Institutes of Health
Feasibility Studies to Build Collaborative Partnerships in Cancer Research (P20)
Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252361>

National Institutes of Health
Neuroimmune Mechanisms of Alcohol Related Disorders (R21) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252084>

National Institutes of Health
Neuroimmune Mechanisms of Alcohol Related Disorders (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252085>

National Institutes of Health
Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Centers 2014 (U54) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252273>

National Institutes of Health
Population Dynamics Centers Research Infrastructure (P2C) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252274>

National Institutes of Health
Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Predoctoral Fellowship (Parent F31) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252296>

National Institutes of Health
Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Predoctoral Fellowship to Promote Diversity in Health-Related Research (Parent F31 - Diversity) Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252297>

National Institutes of Health
Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Postdoctoral Fellowship (Parent F32) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252298>

National Institutes of Health
Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Predoctoral MD/PhD or Other Dual-Doctoral Degree Fellowship (Parent F30) Grant
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National Institutes of Health
Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Awards (NRSA) for Individual Senior Fellowship (Parent F33) Grant
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National Institutes of Health
Establishing Behavioral and Social Measures for Causal Pathway Research in Dental, Oral and Craniofacial Health (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252196>

National Institutes of Health
Establishing Behavioral and Social Measures for Causal Pathway Research in Dental, Oral and Craniofacial Health (R21) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252197>

National Institutes of Health
NIBIB Biomedical Technology Service Centers (P30) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252201>

National Institutes of Health
Community Partnerships to Advance Research (CPAR) (R21) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252164>

National Institutes of Health
Community Partnerships to Advance Research (CPAR) (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252165>

National Institutes of Health
Community Partnerships to Advance Research (CPAR) (R15) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252166>

National Institutes of Health
Limited Competition for the Continuation of the Diabetes Prevention Program Outcomes Study (DPPOS) (U01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252437>

National Institutes of Health
Partnerships for Diagnostics to Address Antimicrobial Resistance of Select Bacterial Pathogens (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252439>

National Institutes of Health
Early Phase Clinical Trials in Imaging and Image-Guided Interventions (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253109>

National Institutes of Health
Biology of Manual Therapies (R21) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253111>

National Institutes of Health
Biology of Manual Therapies (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253112>

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
Drug-Free Communities Mentoring Program Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252295>

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
Mental Health Transformation Grant Program: Transforming Lives through
Supported Employment (Short Title: Supported Employment Program) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252307>

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration
Cooperative Agreements to Benefit Homeless Individuals - States Supplement (Short
Title: CABHI-States Supplement) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252333>

National Institutes of Health
NIH Blueprint Program for Enhancing Neuroscience Diversity through Undergraduate Research
Education Experiences (R25)
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253041>

National Institutes of Health
Early Stage Development of Technologies in Biomedical Computing, Informatics, and Big Data
Science (R43/R44) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252514>

National Institutes of Health
Early Stage Development of Technologies in Biomedical Computing, Informatics, and Big Data
Science (R01)
And Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252515>

National Institutes of Health
Extended Development, Hardening and Dissemination of Technologies in Biomedical Computing,
Informatics and Big Data Science (R01)
And Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252516>

National Institutes of Health
Early Stage Development of Technologies in Biomedical Computing, Informatics, and Big Data
Science (R41/R42) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252517>

National Institutes of Health
Temporal Dynamics of Neurophysiological Patterns as Potential Targets for Treating Cognitive
Deficits in Brain Disorders (R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252518>

National Institutes of Health
Temporal Dynamics of Neurophysiological Patterns as Potential Targets for Treating Cognitive

Deficits in Brain Disorders (R21) Grant

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252519>

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Building Capacity of the Public Health System to Improve Population Health through
National, Nonprofit Organizations

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252682>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Namibia Mechanism for Public Health Assistance, Capacity, and Technical Support (NAM-
PHACTS) under the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR)

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252233>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Secretary's Minority AIDS Initiative Funding for

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252526>

Health Resources & Services Administration

R40 MCH Autism Intervention Research Program

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252505>

Health Resources & Services Administration

R40 MCH Autism Secondary Data Analysis Studies (SDAS) Program

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252506>

Health Resources & Services Administration

Poison Center Support and Enhancement

Modification 3

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250085>

National Institutes of Health

Development of Software and Analysis Methods for Biomedical Big Data in Targeted Areas of
High Need (U01)

Modifications 3 & 4

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=251544>

National Institutes of Health

Bioengineering Research Partnerships (BRP) R01

Modification 1

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=250996>

National Institutes of Health
High Impact Neuroscience Research Resource Grants (R24) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253072>

National Institutes of Health
Clinical Studies of Mental Illness Not Involving Treatment Development, Efficacy, or Effectiveness Trials (Collaborative R01) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253088>

National Institutes of Health
Avenir Award Program for Genetics or Epigenetics of Substance Abuse (DP2) Grant
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=253089>

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health
FY14 Announcement of Availability of Funds for Embryo Donation and/or Adoption Grant Projects
Modification 1
<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=252456>

Reminders:

National Institutes of Health
PAR-13-357 Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH Clinical Center (X02)

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	PAR-13-357
Funding Opportunity Title:	Pre-application: Opportunities for Collaborative Research at the NIH Clinical Center (X02)
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
	Health
	Income Security and Social Services
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	93.172 -- Human Genome Research
	93.173 -- Research Related to Deafness and Communication Disorders
	93.233 -- National Center on Sleep Disorders Research
	93.242 -- Mental Health Research

Grants
 93.273 -- Alcohol Research
 Programs
 93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction
 Research Programs
 93.286 -- Discovery and Applied
 Research for Technological
 Innovations to Improve Human
 Health
 93.393 -- Cancer Cause and
 Prevention Research
 93.394 -- Cancer Detection and
 Diagnosis Research
 93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research
 93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research
 93.399 -- Cancer Control
 93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases
 Research
 93.838 -- Lung Diseases Research
 93.839 -- Blood Diseases and
 Resources Research
 93.853 -- Extramural Research
 Programs in the Neurosciences and
 Neurological Disorders
 93.855 -- Allergy, Immunology and
 Transplantation Research
 93.856 -- Microbiology and
 Infectious Diseases Research
 93.865 -- Child Health and Human
 Development Extramural Research
 93.879 -- Medical Library Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Posted Date:

Creation Date:

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 Sep 20, 2013
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 Nov 20, 2014
 Dec 21, 2014

Eligible Applicants:

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 (Federally recognized)
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 Small businesses
 State governments
 Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
 County governments
 Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
 Private institutions of higher education
 Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
 Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Asian American Native American Pacific Islander Serving Institutions (AANAPISIs); Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are not allowed.
 National Institutes of Health
 The goal of this program is to

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name:
Description:

support collaborative translational research projects aligned with NIH efforts to enhance the translation of basic biological discoveries into clinical applications that improve health. It encourages high quality science demonstrating the potential to result in understanding an important disease process or lead to new therapeutic interventions, diagnostics, or prevention strategies within the research interests and priorities of the participating NIH Institutes/Centers (ICs).

Link to Additional Information:

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-13-357.html>

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National Institutes of Health
Direct Phase II SBIR Grants to Support Biomedical Technology Development
Modifications 1 & 2

Document Type:
Funding Opportunity Number:
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Grants Notice
PAR-14-088
Direct Phase II SBIR Grants to
Support Biomedical Technology
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Opportunity Category:
Funding Instrument Type:
Category of Funding Activity:

Category Explanation:
Expected Number of Awards:
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93.121 -- Oral Diseases and
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93.351 -- Research Infrastructure
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93.846 -- Arthritis, Musculoskeletal
and Skin Diseases Research
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Programs in the Neurosciences and
Neurological Disorders
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Transplantation Research
93.856 -- Microbiology and
Infectious Diseases Research
93.859 -- Biomedical Research and
Research Training
93.865 -- Child Health and Human
Development Extramural Research
93.866 -- Aging Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: 93.867 -- Vision Research
Posted Date: No
Feb 5, 2014
Creation Date: Feb 19, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 7, 2017
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 7, 2017
Archive Date: Feb 7, 2017
Eligible Applicants: Small businesses
Additional Information on Eligibility: Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, may be allowed.
Agency Name: National Institutes of Health
Description: The purpose of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is to encourage applications to the newly authorized Direct-to-Phase II SBIR grant mechanism. Applications are invited from eligible United States small business concerns (SBCs) that have demonstrated the scientific and technical merit and feasibility of the prototype stage of developing a biomedical technology that has commercial potential, R&D that is characteristic of Phase-I (R43) SBIR projects. The Direct-to-Phase II grant mechanism is intended to facilitate SBIR-type R&D, to expand R&D opportunities for applicant small business concerns (SBCs), and to enhance the pace of technology development and commercialization.
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DHS Financial Assistance

Financial Assistance Overview

Most DHS Components have authority to execute and manage financial assistance to support the DHS mission. Financial assistance is the transfer to a non-Federal recipient of anything of value for a public purpose, and in DHS includes grants, cooperative agreements, training, loans, direct payments, and National flood insurance.

Background

Although most DHS Components possess some grant-making programs, the majority of programs and funding exists within the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). DHS supports a wide variety of financial assistance including post-disaster relief and resilience, preparedness, boating safety, cybersecurity, research, university centers of excellence, and assistance to fire fighters. The chart below reflects the distribution of financial assistance activity and funding by DHS mission.

[DHS Financial Assistance by Component](#)

Financial Assistance Policy and Oversight (FAPO)

FAPO is within the DHS Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Undersecretary of Management. The office is the functional lead for the Financial Assistance Line of Business. FAPO is responsible for providing oversight, to include the issuance of policy, for all DHS financial assistance programs. The team works with DHS Components to ensure a "One DHS" approach for financial assistance. The Office consists of four units; Information Management and Reporting, Financial Assistance Policy, Financial Assistance Oversight and Strategic

Financial Assistance Resources

- [DHS Components/Directorates](#) issuing financial assistance
- [Federal Emergency Management Agency \(FEMA\)](#)
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Webpage can be viewed at: <http://www.dhs.gov/xopnbiz/grants/index.shtm#2>

Download these updated grant application tools and start planning your grant request now.

- [FY 2012 FP&S Grants Get Ready Guide](#). This short guide will help you kick-start your grant application. It identifies the most important elements of all the grant application questions.
- [FY 2012 FP&S Grant Self-Evaluation Sheet](#). This tool is based on the application scoring dimensions used by the peer reviewers. It can help you assess your organization's readiness to apply for a grant and help you plan your application.

Video Resources

Two short Fire Prevention and Safety Program videos provide information that can help potential applicants.

- The [FP&S Grants video](#) gives an overview of the FP&S Grant Program, describing the purpose of the grants, eligible activities, and evaluation criteria.
- The [Community Risk Assessment video](#) describes the different types of risk assessments that applicants can use and explains how the risk assessment's information can support grant requests. Community risk assessments are critical to creating an effective fire prevention and safety project, and they are required to obtain a FP&S grant.

Website Resources

Visit the [FP&S Grants home page](#) on the [Assistance to Firefighters Grants \(AFG\) website](#) to find more information about recent awardees and models of successful FP&S projects.

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FEMA

Dear FEMA Grantee:

In August 2011, Congress passed the Budget Control Act of 2011 (Public Law 112-25) to limit federal spending and reduce our national debt. To enforce annual spending limits, that law requires across-the-board funding reductions to almost every federal program, project, and activity through a process called "sequestration."

As a consequence, all federal agencies, including FEMA, will have to implement steep funding cuts, beginning in the current fiscal year. Leadership throughout FEMA and the Department of Homeland Security have been working hard to determine how we might best mitigate the impact of possible sequestration budget reductions on our state, local, tribal, territorial, non-profit and private sector partners.

Nonetheless, the sequestration order issued on March 1, 2013 will result in FEMA's current Fiscal Year (FY) 2013 funding levels being reduced by approximately 5%. This will result in a reduction to FEMA's State and Local grant funding levels of approximately \$104 million.

The sequestration reductions will affect FY 2013 funding levels for all GPD grants, subject to FEMA's final FY 2013 appropriation. Sequestration will not affect grants or cooperative agreements awarded in previous fiscal years.

We recognize the hardships that sequestration is likely to cause and thank you for your cooperation as we work together to manage these unfortunate circumstances. We value the important work that you do and appreciate your dedication to the security and resilience of the Nation. As always, your thoughts, questions and concerns are welcome.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "David J. Kaufman".

David J. Kaufman
Acting Assistant Administrator
Grant Programs Directorate

Federal Funding Alternative To AFG

State Administrative Agencies (SAA) apply for and administer Federal grants on behalf of their States, including FEMA Preparedness Grants. The SAA will work with eligible organizations to comply with the general requirements of grant programs or cooperative agreements. Contact your State's SAA to find out what current Federal funding opportunities may be available to your

organization. A listing of the SAAs and points of contact can be found at <http://www.fema.gov/library/viewRecord.do?id=6363>.

Programs:

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Department of Homeland Security - FEMA
Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 Port Security Grant Program (PSGP)
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Reminders:

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
BioWatch Program: 2014-2015 Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-2014-OHA-BIOWATCH
Funding Opportunity Title:	BioWatch Program: 2014-2015
Opportunity Category:	Continuation
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Disaster Prevention and Relief Environment Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	27
CFDA Number(s):	97.091 -- Homeland Security Biowatch Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2015
Archive Date:	Oct 30, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$29,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$4,500,000
Award Floor:	\$178,220
Eligible Applicants:	County governments State governments City or township governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

State and Local Governments must be invited by DHS to apply. DHS will invite governmental organizations to apply for continuation funding under this FOA. In addition, as part of ongoing improvements in the BioWatch Program, DHS may evaluate requests for some direct support of laboratories that analyze samples collected under the Program. If necessary, this FOA will also award an unspecified number of supplemental awards to current recipients in the event of emergencies, Special Events with National Significance, and limited alterations to current recipients to ensure a secure and resilient nation with the capabilities to thwart terrorist attacks.

Agency Name:

Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division

Description:

The BioWatch Program is a cornerstone of the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) comprehensive strategy for countering biological terrorism. The BioWatch Program is an early warning system that is designed to detect the intentional release of select aerosolized biological agents. The BioWatch Program's mission is to provide and maintain a continuous bio-terrorism air monitoring system in metropolitan areas and coordinate with state and local public health communities to prepare for and respond to a bioterrorist event. This mission is accomplished by serving as an early warning system which enhances the security of jurisdictions by providing the needed time to execute their comprehensive concept of operations plans to counter biological terrorism. The Biowatch Program is a critical part of an

ongoing national effort to build and sustain preparedness which helps the United States to maintain momentum through targeted jurisdictional planning that highlights preventative actions necessary to allow for a proper and timely response and begin the process to recovery from a biological agent release. The BioWatch Evaluation Program (BWEPP) will be conducted under the BioWatch Quality Assurance Program effective April 1, 2013. This program will consist of independent external audits (Quality Assurance) by Signature Science and internal audits (Quality Control) by BioWatch Systems Program Office field personnel. This approach will initially be conducted with a focus on adherence to the BioWatch Field Operations Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), Version 1.3 and will eventually evolve to encompass the Field Operations Quality Assurance Program Plan (QAPP). In order to ensure a robust QA / QC program the jurisdictions may be subject to a QA external audit and a QC internal audit during the same cooperative agreement cycle (year).

**Link to Additional Information:
Contact Information:**

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Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DHS-14-ST-062-001
Funding Opportunity Title:	2014 DHS Scientific Leadership Awards for Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) Granting Bachelor Degrees
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	5
CFDA Number(s):	97.062 -- Scientific Leadership Awards
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 25, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2014
Archive Date:	Jun 4, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,604,048
Award Ceiling:	\$1,500,000
Award Floor:	\$1,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Historically Black College and University (HBCU), Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI), or Tribal College and University (TCU)
Agency Name:	Office of Procurement Operations - Grants Division
Description:	<p>A. Program Overview and Priorities</p> <p>The mission of the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) Science & Technology (S&T) Directorate is to strengthen America's security and resiliency by providing knowledge products and innovative technology solutions for the Homeland Security Enterprise (HSE). to develop a technically savvy future workforce for the HSE. The DHS Scientific Leadership Awards (SLA) program is one of several educational research programs administered by the S&T Office of University Programs. The SLA program will develop homeland</p>

security educational and research capabilities within the MSI communities. OUP invites applications from minority serving intuitions to establish HS-related scientific leadership awards programs. OUP expects to fund these programs for several years to ensure a lasting capability at recipient MSIs. Critical elements of a successful SLA proposal will address the following:

- 1) Coordinated teaching and DHS relevant research projects or initiatives with significant involvement of an early career faculty
- 2) Establishment of collaborative relationships with the DHS research Centers of Excellence (COEs), DHS / DOE and other federal labs
- 3) HS-STEM (Homeland Security- Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) curriculum development and course content
- 4) Financial support for undergraduate students in the form of scholarships and other direct student support
- 5) Student internships and other experiential learning opportunities
- 6) Best practices for successful student mentoring and career guidance
- 7) Processes with the potential for highly successful transition of supported students to HS-STEM related careers, or admission to graduate school
- 8) Student success tracking, measurement, and reporting methodology

The proposal must contain a subproject that allows collaboration or faculty exchange between early career faculty and a researcher at one of the COE Research lead universities, a DHS / DOE laboratory or other related federal research center. Additional requirements may apply, see full description in Funding

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- ▶ **Funds Available** - Identifies HUD's competitive funding opportunities, also known as Notice of Funding Availability (NOFAs).
- ▶ **Funding announcements** - Announcements of those who were awarded grants.
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- ▶ **Training** - identifies various training webcast relating to grants.
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HUD - Notice of Funds Available

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FY 2013 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2013 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs

This Notice provides prospective applicants for HUD's competitive funding with the opportunity to become familiar with the General Section to HUD's FY2013 Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) for Discretionary Funding (program NOFA), in advance of publication of any individual FY2013 program NOFAs. This General Section and the individual FY2013 program NOFA Sections comprise the entirety of the FY2013 NOFA instructions.

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Programs

Section 811 Project Rental Assistance Program Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5700-N-28
Funding Opportunity Title:	Section 811 Project Rental Assistance Program
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	12
CFDA Number(s):	14.326 -- Project Rental Assistance Demonstration (PRA Demo) Program of Section 811 Supportive Housing for Persons with Disabilities
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Mar 4, 2014
Creation Date:	Mar 4, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2014
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 5, 2014
Archive Date:	May 15, 2014
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$120,000,000
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	Any housing agency currently allocating Low Income Housing Tax Credits (LIHTC) under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Service Code of 1986 or any state housing or state community development agency allocating and overseeing assistance under the HOME Investment Partnerships Act (HOME) or a similar federal or state program. An Eligible Applicant may also be a state, regional, or local housing agency or agencies; or a partnership or collaboration of state housing agencies and /or state and local/regional housing agencies. See Sections III.A for additional information related to Eligible Applicant. To be eligible, the agency must have a formal partnership with the State Health and Human Services/Medicaid agencies (See Section III below for specific

Agency Name:

information).

Department of Housing and Urban
Development

Description:

This Section 811 PRA Program seeks to identify, stimulate, and support sustaining state approaches that will transform the provision of housing for persons with disabilities while providing access to appropriate supports and services. This NOFA will provide project-based rental assistance funding to housing agencies. These funds are only available to be used as project-based rental assistance for housing units integrated in multifamily properties that are set-aside for extremely low-income persons with disabilities who are eligible for community-based long term care services and supports provided under a State Medicaid Program or other comparable long-term services program, plus administrative costs as defined in Section I.C.1 below. This is not a voucher program. This Section 811 PRA program will support successful and promising state partnership models that have been developed to increase the number of permanent housing units for persons with disabilities with access to appropriate services.

Link to Additional Information:

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Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs Grant

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	FR-5800-N-01
Funding Opportunity Title:	Notice of the Department's Fiscal Year (FY) 2014 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs
Opportunity Category:	Other
Funding Instrument Type:	Other
Category of Funding Activity:	Housing
Category Explanation:	THERE IS NO FUNDING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NOTICE.
Expected Number of Awards:	
CFDA Number(s):	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
Posted Date:	Feb 19, 2014
Creation Date:	Feb 19, 2014
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 19, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 19, 2015
Archive Date:	Feb 20, 2015
Eligible Applicants:	Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:	All applicants must have valid, active Registration in SAM prior to submission of applications for financial assistance, as required in 2 CFR 25.200. Each Program NOFA will describe additional applicant eligibility requirements. The Department does not provide direct services or products to individuals through its formula-based Programs or its competitive Program NOFA process. NOTE: HUD does not provide grants directly to individuals
Agency Name:	Department of Housing and Urban Development

Description:

Requirements. The General Section describes the requirements that are applicable to all HUD FY 2014 Program NOFAs. The General Section provides summary information on the Department's priorities and strategic goals. Each Program NOFA will describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, cross-program requirements such as nondiscrimination, environmental protection, and any additional program requirements or limitations. To adequately address all of the application requirements for any program, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the applicable Program NOFA.

Link to Additional Information:

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